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KILLS HIS WIFE, THEN ENDS HIS LIFE

FLOYD LEONARD OF ELMO COMMITTED DEED SUNDAY MORNING.

WIFE AND HUSBAND SEPARATED JULY 4

Letter Left Stated He Couldn't Stand to Live Without His Wife and Child Any Longer.

Floyd E. Leonard slashed the throat of his wife, Laura Pearl Leonard, and then cut his own throat with a razor, at the home of Mrs. Leonard's mother, Mrs. Mary Pike, in Elmo, about three o'clock Sunday morning. Mrs. Leonard lived only a few minutes, while Leonard lived for about ten minutes after the physicians arrived.

Leonard secured admittance to the house by breaking in a window with his suit case. Mrs. Leonard and her mother were awakened by the noise and disturbance, Mrs. Pike jumping out of the window through which Leonard came in and crying for help. Mrs. Pike heard Leonard ask his wife: "Won't you come back and live with me?" to which Mrs. Leonard replied "yes."

Leonard cut nearly half of her head off. She walked to the back porch where she fell dead and then Leonard slashed his own throat with the bloody razor, dying nearby his wife, soon after Drs. Neeley and Ferguson arrived on the scene..

Had Separated July 4.

Leonard and his wife have been separated since July 4. Mrs. Leonard filed suit for divorce on July 11 and alleged that Leonard had absented himself from home at night, had assaulted her, had used vile and threatening remarks toward her, had not provided for her needs, and that Leonard had invited her to leave him. The case was docketed for the September term of court. Prosecuting Attorney Sawyers was the attorney for Mrs. Leonard.

Contest For the Child.

A writ of habeas corpus for the possession of the 2-year-old child, Wilma Esther, was filed and decided in circuit court on July 14, when the custody was given to the mother and the father was granted the right to have the child each Sunday and to return her to the mother each Sunday evening. The court also ordered the father to pay to her mother the sum of $2 a week for the support of the child.

Leonard had contemplated killing his wife and either taking his own life or leaving the country according to facts revealed today. He had made arrangements Saturday evening with Charles Beaver of Elmo to drive him to Blanchard to catch the early morning Wabash train. He had his suit case with him which contained a suit of clothes, underwear, hose and a pair of shoes. He had told his father Friday that he was going to Canada to live. Evidently his plans miscarried or he had prepared for any emergency by writing the letter which was found in his clothes. The letter which is published in the next column stated that he couldn't stand to live without his wife and child any longer.

Had Over $50 On His Person.

On his person was found $50.76, $15 of it being a warrant from Lincoln township. Leonard had been employed with a bridge gang by the township. He also had sold his horse and had taken his household furniture from Elmo to his father's home.

Leonard was in Elmo Saturday night and his friends stated he appeared nervous and restless. He was seen as late as midnight that night in that town. Some people of Elmo think Leonard had planned to do the deed later in the morning and to make his escape, but being so nervous and restless he put it off as long as he could.

Coroner H. S. Rowlett was called to Elmo and held a view inquest.

Mrs. Leonard Buried at Braddyville.

Funeral services for Mrs. Leonard were held at the Methodist church in Elmo this afternoon, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Ragsdale. Burial took place at Braddyville, Ia. Mrs. Leonard was 22 years old and had lived practically all her life in Elmo. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Mary Pike, and three brothers and one sister, who are: Wilbur and Harley Pike, Colorado; Edgar Leonard, Elmo; Mrs. Orville Younger, Clearmont; Mrs. Bertha Adams, St. Joseph; Mrs. Vera Leonard, Nebraska; and Mrs. Henry Neff, Elmo.

Services for Mr. Leonard were held this afternoon at the Christian church in Burlington Junction and conducted by the Rev. Horace Weaver Burial took place in the Ohio cemetery in that town. Mr. Leonard is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Leonard, who live in Burlington Junction, two brothers and four sisters. They are: Edgar and Dewey Leonard, living at home; Mrs. Orville Younger of Clearmont; Mrs. Bertha Adams of St. Joseph; and Vera and Mabel Leonard at home. Mr. Leonard was 28 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard were married in Page county, Ia., on March 11, 1914.

HIS LAST LETTER.

Elmo, Mo., Aug. 12, 1917.
To My Mother, Father, Brothers and Friends:

When you read these few lines I will be in a far away land. My dear wife left me on the 4th day of July taking with her my darling little girl which is all this world to me I love my wife and baby better than my own life. I would rather see my wife lie in a coffin than to live without me and my darling girl. I can't stand to live without them. I am going crazy. It is killing me by inches. I can't stand it any longer so I will close hoping you will all forgive me for this crime. Bury me and my wife side by side.

Sincerely,
F. E. LEONARD.

FOURTH LEAVES TONIGHT

Regiment Will Depart From St. Joseph for Camp Clark—Have Been In St. Joseph A Week.

The Fourth Regiment band with the other companies of the regiment will leave St. Joseph this evening for Camp Clark. Orders for the Fourth to move came by telegraph Saturday night, and set the officers to instant action to make the necessary arrangements. Two sections of a special train will be run out of St. Joseph in two sections to carry the troops.

It is probable the departure will be taken at 7 or 8 o'clock this evening but the exact time has not been announced.

The band has been stationed at St. Joseph the past week.

Company A of Tarkio left Tarkio this afternoon for Nevada by the way of St. Joseph. Several Maryville boys are members of Company A.

FEDS WIN FROM SHENANDOAH

Champions of Southwestern Iowa Defeated by A Score of 6 to 4 Sunday Afternoon.

The Feds yesterday downed the Shenandoah Red Sox, the champions of Southwestern Iowa, by the score of 6-4. Although eight errors were made by the Feds to three by the Red Sox, they were not all of the serious kind.

The visitors from Iowa scored in the first inning on two hits and a fielder's choice. They pushed over two more in the fourth on two errors and a single. Their final counter was made in the fifth on an error, passed ball and a single

The local team started their scoring in the third inning when Homer Summa tripled to right field and was scored by Black's single. In the next inning they came back with four more. Scott hit for three bases and L. Walker scored him with a single. Tilson reached first on an error and Watson hit safely. They both scored on a triple by Black. Maryville's last run was made in the eighth on an error, a wild pitch and a single.

Still pitched a good steady game, allowing only six hits and one base on balls. He struck out seven men. McKee started in the box for Shenandoah but only lasted four innings. Wyman took his place. The batting honors go to L Walker of the Feds He made three hits and received a base on balls in four times at bat.

Next Sunday the Feds will play the St. Louis Traveling Wabash club here.

The lineups of the two teams yesterday were:

Shenandoah—Simmons, ss; Anderson, c; Stanger, cf; Wyman, rf and p; Mitchell, 2b; Dutton, 3b; Burns, lf; Allenbaugh, 1b; McKee, p and rf.

Maryville—Summa, rf; Black, c; Miller, 3b; V. Walker, 2b; Scott, ss; L. Walker, cf; Tilson, 1b; Watson, lf; Still, p.

COURT TO GO TO SAVANNAH.

Will Meet With the Andrew County Court Wednesday.

The members of the county court, Judges Blackford, Schmidt and Hepburn, will go to Savannah Wednesday to meet with the county court of Andrew county relative to a petition for a new road on the county line between Nodaway and Andrew.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Carnagie and children of Rapid City, S. Dak., arrived last week in their car to visit for several weeks with Mrs. Carnagie's mother, Mrs. L. T. DeVore.

Miss May Shipps, Miss Jessie Lyon and Ray Shipps were guests Sunday at th home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray, living southeast of Maryville.

Miss Grace McAnulty of St. Joseph arrived Saturday night to visit Miss Nell Hudson and other friends.

Ice Cream Social
at the Bedison Christian Church, Thursday night, August 16.

J.E. HOLT RELEASED

WAS ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH FIRE OF POWDER PLANT.

WORD RECEIVED TODAY

Maryville Boy Was Held By Federal Agents at Chicago on Serious Charge.

Word was received late this afternoon that Jackson E. Holt who had been arrested was released as he was entirely innocent.

The Chicago papers yesterday contained accounts of the fire of the Aetnae Powder plant located at Gary, Ind., and stated that J. E. Holt of Maryville, an employee of the plant, had been arrested on a charge of setting fire to the plant.

The account from the Chicago Examiner is as follows:

Demand for the return of troops which until last Sunday were guarding the great plant of the Aetna Explosives company, neary Gary, Ind., was made by citizens of Gary yesterday, following the fire which caused a $1,000,000 loss in the plant early yesterday morning.

The fire, it is believed was set by alien enemies. It started, according to officials, in the dry cotton building, where no one goes at night, where there are no fires or matches used and where there are no electric wires.

Two men, both of whom went to work at the plant last week, are being held as suspects in the fire, and other arrests are promised by Federal authorities. Those held are J. E. Holt, of Maryville, Mo., and Earl Krueger of New Buffalo, Mich.

According to Superintendent Charles Martin of the factory, both men have been suspected since entering the service of the company and have been under constant surveillance.

Superintendent Martin ordered their arrest because of their suspicious actions after the fire started. Both speak with a foreign accent, it is said, but deny that they are of Teuton birth or descent.

An incendiary bomb set at the plant is believed to have caused the fire. The flames were discovered early yesterday morning and traveled with incredible swiftness to all parts of the building containing cotton, and through covered runways to other buildings in which the cotton goes through the various processes that convert it into an explosive.

Five fire companies from Gary and Miller, Ind., fought the flames for hours. As the cotton, impregnated with explosive, caught fire it flared up in great flashes that turned the sky a lurid red for miles around.

Main efforts of the firemen were devoted to keeping the fire from the nitrate and sulphuric acid buildings. Had these caught fire an explosion would have resulted that would have wrecked the entire plant and cost many lives.

That an explosion in the cotton buildings did not result was due to the fact that at no place were the explosives confined. After trying to subdue the flames for hours the firemen finally permitted them to burn out.

213 WOMEN REGISTER

THAT MANY SIGNED UP SATURDAY IN MARYVILLE.

WORK WILL CONTINUE

Skidmore Had 70 to Register and Clyde 9—Other County Reports Have Not Been Received Yet.

Two hundred thirteen women of Maryville and vicinity put their names on the honor roll of Nodaway county by joining Saturday in the national women's registration movement, designed to give the national government information as to what the women of the country can and will do in case they are needed.

A fine showing was also made at Skidmore where seventy women were registered by Mrs. J. F. Patton who was in charge of the movement at that place. The registration booth was placed on the Chautauqua grounds.

The only district in the county from which returns have been received is at Clyde where nine women were registered by Miss Leona Enis.

The registration at each of the places provided in Maryville was as follows: Jefferson school six; Montgomery Shoe Co., forty-seven; Remus Mercantile Co., thirty-three; Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods store, twenty-six; Schumacher Grocery Co., twenty-eight; Maryville Furniture Co., nineteen; Rest Room, twenty-eight; Eversole & Son, twenty-six.

Several women who were unable to register Saturday are turning in their blanks today. Any others who wish to register are urged to secure blanks from Miss Jessie Parcher or from any o' the chairmen of the committees appointed for Saturday.

A voluntary offering was taken to cover the cost of the registration but the results are not known as the boxes have not yet been opened The amount at Skidmore was $3.10.

Mrs. Patton at the Skidmore registration booth was assisted by Misses Hildred Goslee, Fannie Albright and Letta Strickler. The youngest one to register there was Eleanor Sewell, the 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Sewell. The oldest one to register was Mrs. Martha Cameron, who is 89 years old. Two registered to go anywhere, several registered they were willing to go anywhere in the United States ,and a number preferred home.

The reason fo rsuch a low registration seemed to be a misunderstanding of the reason for registration, Miss Parcher said. "They didn't realize nor understand the necessity for the act, and they were afraid they would be under obligation to do something they did not want to do."

WILLIAM FLOWERS DIES

Hopkins Man Died After A Long Illness Saturday—The Funeral This Afternoon.

William Flowers, 85 years old, died at 4:30 o'clock Saturday morning at his home in Hopkins following a long illness.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Baptist church, conducted by the Rev. D. W. Griffith. Burial was in the Hopkins cemetery.

Mr. Flowers is an old settler of Nodaway county, and has lived in Hopkins for a number of years. He is survived by his wife and several children.

COLBERT MADE A CAPTAIN

Maryville Boy Receives High Rank Commission—Was Training at Fort Sheridan, Ill.

Herschel M. Colbert, son of Dean and Mrs. G. H. Colbert of this city, was awarded the rank of captain of the officers reserve corps, according to word received by The Democrat-Forum today. Mr. Colbert has been in training at Fort Sheridan, Ill., having resigned a position on the editorial staff of the Chicago Examiner to attend. Mr. Colbert is expected to arrive home this week for a visit with his parents.

Meeting Was Not Held Sunday.

The Knights of Columbus meeting to have been held Sunday afternoon was postponed on account of several of the speakers being unable to attend. The date of the meeting was not decided on.

"GEORGE, WHAT ON EARTH IS THE MATTER WITH YOUR ARM?"

—Donahey in Cleveland Plain Dealer.

AFTER ROOSEVELT

COMMERCIAL CLUB MAKING EFFORTS TO GET FORMER PRES.

FOR PATRIOTIC ADDRESS

Col. Roosevelt Is To Make A Western Trip and Will Be In Kansas City September 24.

Efforts are being made to get Col. Theodore Roosevelt to come to Maryville while on his western trip. Col. Roosevelt is to appear in Kansas City on September 24, to give a patriotic address.

An invitation to Col Roosevelt was sent by Secretary E. M. Claypool of the Commercial Club. Mr. Claypool also wired Conrad Yehie who is in New York to go to Oyster Bay and see Mr. Roosevelt. W. C. Pierce has also written Mr. Roosevelt

If the former president is secured, the Commercial Club will arrange for a big patriotic meeting here.

BOARD CONSIDERS CLAIMS

A Number of Exemption Claims Passed on Today—Were Not Made Public.

The local exemption board is meeting today and considering claims for exemption that were filed by a number of accepted men Action was taken by the board on several claims but they will not be made public probably until tomorrow.

The board will consider claims for the next few days. The rejected men who failed on account of defects of the eye, ear, mouth or weight will be called back for another examination probably the latter part of the week.

The list of accepted men as well as the rejected are now being certified and will be sent on to the district board at Kansas City.

LATE TELEGRAPH NEWS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Cleveland, Aug. 13.—Dr. Leroy Buny, a negro wanted in St. Louis in connection with the murder of two persons during the recent race riots there was arrested here today.

Abilene, Kans., Aug. 13.—Phil Haley who shot and killed his father here claims self-defense.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 13.—Crude oil has advanced fifteen cents and is being quoted at three twenty-five, the highest price in fifty years.

A Pacific Port, Aug. 13.—The Imperial Japanese mission to the United States arrived here today on a Japanese warship.

Roy Conrad of near Parnell had a yield of oats that averaged 72¼ bushels to the acre.

A CLEAN-UP DAY

SUPT. COOPER SUGGESTS ONE FOR RURAL SCHOOLS ON AUG. 29.

SCHOOLS OPEN SEPT. 3

Buildings Should Be Repaired, Such As Papering and Painting, Weeds Cut and Yards Mowed.

In a letter to the district school clerks, County Superintendent Bert Cooper suggests that a general clean-up day for all of the schools be held on August 29. He recommends that the schools open on Monday Sept. 3.

His letter in part is as follows:

"I have recommended that you have school open on Monday, September 3. If the children wish to attend the county fair, then the teacher could dismiss Thursday and Friday and make up the days later in the year. This will enable your district to complete the first semester of school before Christmas vacation.

"I am suggesting August 29 as general "clean-up day." The board should do all repairing of building, out-buildings, papering and painting before that time. The yard should be mowed, the well pumped dry and cleaned on that day or before, but general clean-up day should be a real gathering of children, patrons and teacher.

"Nothing would please the teacher more and inspire her to her best efforts than for you to see that she is provided with a good broom, erasers, chalk, sweeping compound, to put down dust, and if the pupils cannot drink at the pump, a good water jar with a faucet, all before school opens.

"Last year was the best Nodaway county schools have ever had and it was due to progressive school boards employing good teachers and working with the teacher for better schools."

Steamer Sunk; American Lives Lost.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 13.—A State Department dispatch says that some American lives were lost when the American steamer, City of Athens, struck a mine and sank off Capetown, South Africa.

Miss Mabel Patterson was a weekend guest of Miss Adah Ware of Barnard and also attended the Barnard picnic.

GREAT BATTLE ON

FOR THE POSSESSION OF MOLDAVIA PROVINCE.

MAKING STUBBORN STAND

The Russ-Roumanians Are Defending This Province—Russian Naval Base Attacked by Germans.

WAR

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Geneva, Aug. 13.—A great battle for the possession of the province of Moldavia the only part of Roumania that the German allies failed to conquer in their big drive last winter, was developed along a front of more than fifty miles, Vienna advices say today. It is admitted that the Roumanian-Russian army defending this province are making a stubborn stand.

It is also reported that the naval base of the Russians at Sebastopol has been attacked by German airmen.

A Lull in Belgium.

London, Aug. 13.—Following a burst of heavy fighting north of Lens and along the Belgian front comparative calm settled down during the night, the British war office announced today.

Germans Preparing for New Offensive

Petrograd, Aug. 13.—There are indications that the Germans are preparing for a new offensive against the Russians.

2 GERMAN PLANES DOWN

Took Part in Raid Over Southeastern Coast of England—More Than A Score Killed.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Aug. 13.—Two of the German aeroplanes that took part in Sunday's raid over the southeastern coast of England were destroyed by British pursuers while returning to their base, it was officially announced today. It is indicated by fresh details that the raid was directed against the naval estblishments at the estuary of the Thomas river. As in the past, however, only the innocent suffered. All the damage was done to summer resorts, where numerous visitors had gathered for the week-end. Most of the victims killed were women and children.

In addition to the dead who numbered more than a score, between fifty and sixty were wounded. Renewed demands for reprisals to be made are expected and a statement may be forthcoming on the subject in Parliament this afternoon.

NO CARS MOVING AT K. C.

Department of Labor to Send Representatives to Settle the Car Strike Police Refuse to do Duty.

Kansas City, Aug. 13.—Over a hundred policemen today stated that they would resign rather than to do strike duty. The street car situation is still in the air and probability of settlement seems remote. No cars are moving. A hundred saloons in the down town district including all the big hotels have been closed by federal order.

Washington, Aug 13.—The Department of Labor is sending representatives to Kansas City to attempt to settle the car strike.

WILL GO TO FORT SHERIDAN.

V. N. Cornelius A Normal Student and Grant Gates of Ravenwood Accepted.

Among those accepted for the second officers' training camp at Fort Sheridan, Ill., were Vern Nelson Cornelius, a student of the State Normal school, and Grant J. Gates of Ravenwood.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy east, unsettled, with probably showers in the west portion tonight and Tuesday; not much change in temperature.

Feature Tonight
Empire Theatre
5 and 10 cents

Paramount Pictures, with
PAULINE FREDERICK
The Emotional Actress Supreme
The Slave Market
A Romantic Tale of Spanish Main
Tomorrow—"HER SECRET"

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Real Estate Transfers.

List of instruments filed for record in the Recorder's office of Nodaway county, beginning August 4.

Clarence C. Holbrook to Clement C. Gates, E½, SE & E½, SW, SE, 3, 66, 36, $10,125.

E. G. Larrabee to Gertrude E. McCorkle, lot 4, Shell's Add. to Burlington Junction, $1.

Ellen Snyder et al to J. Ralph Miller, lots 6 and 7, block 1, Brown's Add. to Graham, $800.

Elizabeth E. W. Ford to Schmidt & Dowden, lot 26, part lot 25, SB, Maryville, $4,500.

William G. Sayler to John A. Tibbetts, part NE, 8, 65, 37, $35.

Gertrude Prather to James B Robinson, part lot 12, WB, Maryville, $10,000.

Katherine Deschauer to Orville A. Bennett and wife, lots 3 and 4, block 8, Torrance's Addition to Maryville, $1,550.

Rudolph H. Deschauer et al to same lots 3 and 4, block 8, Torrance Add. to Maryville, $516.

Ollie L. Fisher to Walter Yeisley, interest in W½, NW, 23, part S½, NE, 22, part SE, SE, 10, 63, 35, $635.

Hugh Crawford to Thomas McWhorter, part lot 3, block 3, Hawks' 1st Add. to Ravenwood, $2,200.

Thomas McWhorter to Hugh Crawford, part block 3, Hawks' 1st Add. to Ravenwood, $150.

Rebecca A. Skidmore et al to Hickerson & Littler, lots 1 and 2, block 3, and 11, Add. Skidmore, $175.

Samuel R. Gibson et al to Troy E. Crane, SW & NW Fr¼, 36, 67, 34, $26,500.

John E. Yeisley to Walter Yeisley, interest in W½, NW, 23, part S½, NE, 22, part SE, SE, $2,540.

Quit-Claim Deeds.

August E. Klaas to Mrs. Scynthia A. Muse, lot 5, block 22, Parnell, $125.

Guardian Deed.

Anson C. Snyder est. to J. Ralph Miller one-third interest in lots 6 and 7 block 1, Brown's Add to Graham, $275.

Erving C. Deschauer est. to Orville A. Bennett and wife, lots 3 and 4, block 8, Torrance's Add to Maryville, $172.22.

Articles of Association.

Maryville Drug Company, Capital stock, $5,000.

Visiting in Graham Today.

Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Shell and Rev. J. E. Davis of Kansas City, motored to Graham today to visit at the home of Mr and Mrs. Will Crawford. They will be accompanied home by Rev. S. D. Harlan, who will start a revival meeting at the Wilcox Christian church tonight.

Mrs Ed Brewer and children returned Saturday night from a three week's visit with relatives in Tarkio and vicinity.

When the Skin Seems Ablaze With Itching and Burning

There's just one thing to do.

If your skin seems ablaze with the fiery burning and itching of Eczema, real and lasting relief can only come from treatment that goes below the surface—that reaches down to the very source of the trouble. So-called skin-diseases come from a disordered condition of the blood, and the proper treatment is through the blood.

Search far and near, and you cannot find a blood remedy that approaches S. S. S. for real efficiency. It has been on the market for fifty years, during which time it has been giving uniform satisfaction for all manner of blood disorders. If you want prompt and lasting relief, you can rely upon S. S. S. For expert advice as to the treatment of your own individual case, write to-day to Chief Medical Adviser, Swift Specific Co., Dept. C Atlanta, Ga.

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Valuable Inspection

OF YOUR

Heating Plant

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It may be that leaky flues, broken fire pots or melted grates are the cause—,

Perhaps your chimney isn't big enough to force the draft when needed,—

Or there may be any one of a dozen other reasons why your present heating plant *hasn't* and *cannot* give satisfactory and healthful heat as it now stands.

So, for a limited time, we are making this liberal offer to any home in this town—

We will call at your residence, and *entirely without charge* inspect your heating plant from top to bottom!

OFFER GOOD FOR TWO WEEKS ONLY!

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NO OBLIGATION is involved in having our expert make this free examination and it may save you a lot of *money, time, trouble and sickness.*

When desired, our men will clean and put your present heating plant in first class order

J. C. Kessler

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Exclusive agents for the Round Oak Moistair Heating System.

80,000 REGISTERED

THAT MANY WOMEN IN THE STATE HAVE SIGNED FOR SERVICE.

MANY ANXIOUS TO SERVE

Corps of Girls Working Under Mrs. Walter McNab Miller in Receiving and Filing Cards.

Jefferson City, Aug. 13.—Approximately 80,000 Missouri women have registered for service and signed the Hoover pledge for food conservation to help prosecute the war more vigorously, according to returns received at the women's registration headquarters in the offices of the Missouri council of defense.

Here under the direction of Mrs. Walter McNab Miller of Columbia, who had charge of the registration for women in Missouri, outside of St. Louis, a corps of girl clerks have been busily engaged since registration day, July 28, in receiving and filing the signed cards and requests for the official button and household tag to be displayed as an evidence of the signer's interest in the work. The returns from the 114 counties were placed i nso many pasteboard boxes, while those from St. Louis, where approximately 40,000 registered and from Kansas City, where more than 23,000 women signed the cards, will be filed separately.

Women Anxious to Serve.

That Missouri women are alert to the possibilities of the war and keenly anxious to be of service is evidenced by the flood of mail that has poured into the offices of the Missouri council of defense in connection with the registration.

"I certainly had some work in the registration," wrote one Missouri woman, "and am sure if we could have had one week longer, it would have been a much larger registration. Many did not understand it. We found the impression even among our friends, that it meant service away from home, and possibly they would be torn from their family without notice, for service in France. Of course, it was foolish, but people are much the same when they do not understand a subject."

Another woman thinks it would be a commendable conservation step to adopt a war bread to conserve the wheat supply. "If people who do not like corn bread," she writes, "would use a little more corn meal with their light bread, when kneading for the last time, they could hardly tell the difference. Most northern people do not like things made of corn meal."

Many other curious sidelights on the way the war is affecting the women of the state, particularly in the rural communities, is supplied by the correspondence.

"I am a mother of two children and four stepchildren," wrote another woman, "and I have a stepson in the draft. I am willing to do anything to bring this war to a close. My husband is a successful farmer, but our boy's absence will injure us on the farm. May God bring this war to a close in the very near future is my humble, daily prayer." Another woman wrote:

Had Cook Register.

"Please find enclosed two pledge cards. Kindly send me first instructions, also two household tags, and the button, and shield insignia. I had my cook register and sign the food conservation card. She is very interested and I want a tag for her to hang in the kitchen as a reminder of "no waste in this house." Thanking you for your courtesy, I am yours in good but careful living."

A woman in Barnhart writes: "My heart is with you for the good of America. I am an old soldier's daughter, with the same patriotic heart."

A New London woman on second thought, wants to be enrolled as a lecturer, while a Joplin woman, in asking for the pledge button, comments: "I am never wasteful or extravagant, but it may be an incentive to others not to be careless or indifferent in matters of economy."

Women in the community about Hollister came to town to register, but could find no registration place. This was just the reverse of the experience in Oak Grove, where the registrar waited patiently throughout the day, but no one came.

Eldon Lloyd Buys Property.

Eldon Lloyd has purchased the property of Mrs. S. O. Hutchison on West Third street. The consideration was $3,500.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

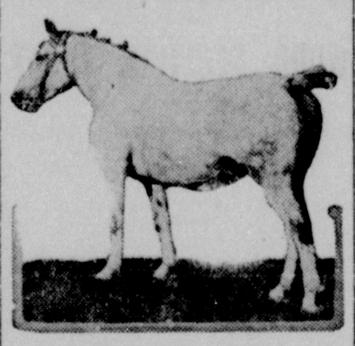
We are now connected with the SEWELL GARAGE where you will find us prepared to take care of all kinds of repair work.

IRBY & WHITNEY

THE HEN HELPS WIN WAR

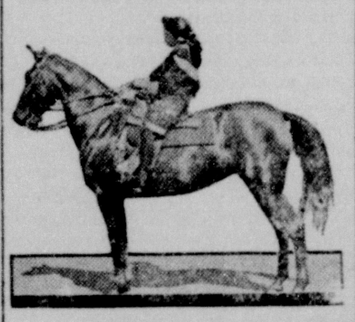
Sedalia, Mo., Sept. 18.—The paens of victory may be pronounced by the rooster, typical in many instance of victory but the cackle of the Missouri hen means that she is working over time helping win the war, and furnishing real nourishment for the men both in the trenches and those who have been taken out of the trenches back to the wards of white-washed walls. Not only does "hen fruit" help the soldier but it is sustaining the civilian, too, and the Missouri State Fair poultry show, September 22 to 29, will be the biggest event of its kind the state has ever seen.

THE DRAFT HORSE SUPREME



Sedalia, Mo., Aug. 21.—The draft horse has not come to be anywhere near the thing of the past that some who claimed to be prophets or sons of prophets were foretelling a few years since. Motors have not displaced this sturdy animal and his popularity is greater now than ever. The war has shifted the home of the draft horse industry to America and Missourians will be called on from now on to replenish their stock of horses from the animals that will be seen at the Missouri State Fair, September 22 to 29, as the American draft horse is the survivor of the family that had its roots in Belgian soil, but whose habitat is now America.

SADDLE HORSE AT ZENITH



Sedalia, Mo., Aug. 14.—The saddle horse is at the zenith of his glory, being able to show by his powers of endurance that he is better fitted than any type of style of horse to undergo all that Uncle Sam is expecting of the horse just now. A long line of ancestors, careful breeding for type and conformation all tend to make the saddle horse the horse that has the staying qualities for cavalry mounts. Not alone his the officer's horse but he is the horse that makes good wherever called on for the long march. The saddle horse show at the Missouri State Fair, September 22 to 29, will be stronger in saddle horse features than ever before. The world's champion saddle horse stake will be awarded in front of the grandstand at noon of Friday, September 28.

BEEF BREEDS TAKE PALM

Sedalia, Mo., Sept. 11.—The palm of victory is certainly being handed to the breeders of beef cattle this year. Not only is the red meat of the beef breeds of cattle sustaining the soldiers in the trenches and supplying the nourishment for the hospital tents at the back of the firing line but good substantial prosperity is coming to Missourians as a result of their activities in breeding beef cattle. The finest beef cattle herds in the world are at home in the clover and blue grass covered pastures of Missouri and they all come down to the State Fair each fall to go on dress parade for the visiting thousands, and incidentally take all the blue ribbons in sight from the visiting beef cattle from other states. September 22 to 29, State Fair week, will be a big event in beef breeds history this year.

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Dr. and Mrs. Charles T. Bell and small son, Charles Robinson, Mrs. T. L. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Robinson and daughter, Miss Virginia Robinson, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Gray expect to leave Wednesday on a three weeks' motor and camping trip to Wyoming.

Mr. Hakel to Leave.

Fred Lewis Hakel will leave tomorrow for Weston, Neb., to visit his parents. On September 15, Mr. Hakel will take charge of his new position in the violin department of the Regina Conservatory of Music, Regina, Canada.

Dr. Coile to Tennessee.

Dr. S. A. Coile will leave tomorrow for Knoxville, and Morristown, Tenn., where he will visit for the next few weeks with friends and relatives.

Went to Clearmont.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Heflin and Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Shell motored to Clearmont yesterday to attend the lecture given by Rev. Arthur Dillinger, a former pastor of the Wilcox Christian church. Mr. and Mrs. Heflin, Mr. and Mrs. Shell and Rev. Dillinger were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Burch.

Leave For New Home.

Mrs. S. O. Hutchison and son, Forrest, will leave tonight for Westchester, Pa., where they will make their home. Another son, William Hutchison, will enter the University of Missouri at Columbia, in September.

Hogan Gets A Commission.

Raymond Paul Hogan of Maryville secured a first lieutenant commission for the field artillery reserve at the Fort Riley, Kans., training camp.

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16lb sacks Graham Flour 65c
10lb sacks Fresh Corn Meal 52c
Large bottles Stuffed Olives 23c
Pint Best Bulk Olives 20c
35c Bottles Beech Nut Brand Tomato Catsup 25c
25c bottles Snider's or Heinzs' Catsup 22c
Lee & Perrin's Table Sauce 30c and 50c bottles for ..... 25c and 45c
Quart jars Pickles — Sour, sweet or mixed 25c
Bulk Pickles, sour or sweet, dozen ..... 10cc and 15c
Ripe Olives, large can 20c
New Evaporated Apricots, per lb .. 25c
Extra Fancy Evaporated Apricots, per lb 30c
Large eMaty Prunes, per lb 15c
30c pkgs Naptha Washing Powder 24c
7lbs Fancy Red Globe Onions 25c
8lbs Good Cabbage 25c
Peck Cooking Apples 20c; ½ bu. 35c
5c per lb for Fresh Tomatoes.
25c Baskets Fresh Peaches.
10c cakes Williams' Shaving Soap 5c
Wild Rose Toilet Soap, 10c bars, 2 for 15c
10c pound pkg Cow Soda 7c
5c pkgs Cow Soda, 3 for 10c
5c Cartons Table Salt, 3 for 10c
10c cartons Table Salt, 2 for 15c
50 lb lumps Pressed Rock Salt .. 55c
48 lb Pennant Brand old wheat Flour for $2.95
48 lb sacks Maney's Best old wheat Flour for $3.25
48 lb sacks Townsend's Fancy Cream High Patent Flour $3.45
48 lb sacks Gold Coin short patent Flour for $3.50
25 lb sacks Fine Granulated Sugar for $2.50

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Rose Dale Salmon is fine flavored, oily and choice cuts. You will reorder this brand.
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10c cans Lye, 14 for $1.00
3 cans Chili Con Carne 25c
25c—2½ lbs cans Karo Syrup 18c
2 cans Best Quality Oysters (large cans) 25c
10c, 15c and 30c pkgs Sunshine Crackers for **7c, 12c and 25c, each**—any kind.
Highest Grade Butterine, 1 pound prints 30c
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Calendar.

TUESDAY—The Woman's Missionary society of the South Methodist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the church parlors.

WEDNESDAY—Mrs. Will Montgomery will entertain the members of the Wednesday Bridge club Wednesday afternoon at her home.

The I. X. L. Embroidery club will meet Wednesday with Mrs. Jennie Bantz.

THURSDAY — The Homemakers Bible class of the South Methodist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jesse Paulette, 422 South Vine street. Mrs. Paulette and Mrs. John Porter will be the hostesses.

For Seventy-ninth Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hanna entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday in honor of the seventy-ninth birthday anniversary of Mrs. Hanna's mother, Mrs. J. C. Dutton. Covers were laid for Mrs. Kavanaugh of New Hampton, who is the guest of Prof. and Mrs. B. F. Duncan, Miss Ada Albert, Miss Hildred Hanna, the honor guest and the host and hostess.

Entertain at Croquet.

Mr and Mrs. Silas Mozingo, Misses Ethel and Jessie Mozingo, Mrs. J. Mozingo, and Eugene Baker were entertained at croquet Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Baker.

Dinner Guests at Franks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frank entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday at their home on East Seventh street. Their guests were: Mrs. John Whedbee of Carthage, Mo., and Mrs. Jennie Bantz.

Picnic At Normal Park.

A picnic party at Normal park last evening was composed of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bailey and son, Billie, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wilderman and daughter, Miss Odette, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Garrett and son, William.

To Big Lake.

Miss Julia Tate, Miss Margaret Chilton, Miss Allie Jean Fraser and Misses Stella and Eleanor Smith will leave Wednesday for Big Lake, near Bigelow, where they have rented a cottage for a week.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson entertained Monday with a dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Loomis and children of Diamond Springs, Kan., who drove overland here Saturday to spend a few days visiting relatives Mrs. Loomis was formerly known here as Miss Hazel Beason.

Parnell Picnic Party.

Mrs. Frank Bloomfield chaperoned a party of Parnell's young people at a fishing party Friday afternoon at Platte river. Those in the party were Misses Martha Hindeia, Agnes Smith, Mildred Hall, Ethel Pope, Rosetta Klaas and Mrs. Bloomfield.

Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Brody of Wilcox entertained at dinner Sunday, their guests being Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McGaffin and son, Robert Arthur of Corning, Ia., Earl Bobbit, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Friend and sons Hughie, Hadley and Harland of Wilcox. Additional guests in the afternoon were Misses Thelma Brogan and Gladys Mendenhall of Wilcoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Gooden Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Gooden entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday in honor of Mrs. Mary Swain of Carthage, Ill., who is visiting relatives in Maryville. Covers were laid for: Mrs. Mary Swain, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Seafers, Mrs. Minnie McCurry, Mrs. Etta Lewis of Wyoming, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson Craven, Mrs. Anna Stauble, Miss Marie Livasy, Forrest Gooden and the host and hostess.

For Rev. J. E. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Duncan entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday at their home northwest of Maryville, in honor of Rev. J. E. Davis of Kansas City, who was a former pastor of the Wilcox Christian church. Additional guests were: Grandma Kinsley, Ad Kinsley, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Kinsley and family, Mrs. Al Taylor and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Duncan and daughter, Lucile, and Miss Jennie Duncan.

Edwards Have Dinner.

Mr and Mrs. P. L. Edwards were host and hostess at a dinner given yesterday at the Edwards home. Mrs. Frank Ulmer was assistant hostess. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Glover and five children and Miss Jennie Alexander of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. John Ulmer, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Seals and four children, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ulmer, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clark and three children, Misses Goldie and Martha Majers, Miss Sarah Majers, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Majers, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ulmer and four children, Forrest, Leota and Pauline Edwards.

For Kansas City Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ulmer entertained with a supper Saturday night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Glover and children and Miss Jennie Alexander of Kansas City, who motored to Maryville Friday night. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Glover and children, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Edwards and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ulmer and children, Mr. and Mrs. James Seals and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Majers and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ulmer, Misses Martha, Sarah and Golda Majers, Miss Alexander and the host and hostess.

For Miss Porter.

Miss Eleanor Smith will entertain at a dinner party this evening for Miss Alice Porter who leaves this month for Winchester, Ky., her home. A five-course dinner will be served. Covers will be laid for Miss Porter, Mrs Ogilvie Sheldon and small daughter, Ruth, of Wichita, Kan., Miss Berenice Rice, Miss Lucile Airy, Miss Geneva Wilfley, Miss Stella Smith, Mrs. M. J. Estes, Mr. and Mrs. C. Q. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Landon, Fred Lewis Hakel, Marcus Nielsen, Dr E. C. Braniger and the hostess.

Entertained for Kansas Visitor.

Mrs. Walter Runnels entertained in honor of Miss Elmina Myers of Arkansas City, Kans., who is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Leslie Hanna. The afternoon was spent in playing various games. Miss Myers was the champion in the spoon and apple game, having succeeded in picking the apple off the floor, with a teaspoon thirty-five times in two minutes. Miss Blanche Van Buren was voted winner in the blindfolded drawing contest and Miss Leta Gray carried off the honors in the peanut race. After the indoor games refreshments were served, following which everyone joined in playing drop the handkerchief until the time to depart came. The guests present were: Misses Elmina Myers, Lereta Leet, Crystal Copeland, Mina Harvey, Maggie Shannon, Lois Harvey, Ruth Maxin, Laverne Rickard, Wanda Hinton Ethel McClurg, Ruth Hinton, Vivian Boatwright, Blanche Van Buren, Ola Gray, Leta Gray, Audrey Boatwright, Masters Niles and Marvin Myers and Lauren Runnels, Mrs. Parle Runnels and Mrs. Leslie Hanna.

A Surprise Party.

A very pleasant surprise was given to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McGinness Thursday evening, August 9, when their neighbors gathered at their home with cakes, and freezers of ice cream to spend the evening. The occasion was also in honor of their daughter, Miss Mae McGinness, who has just returned from Sheridan, Wyo., and of Mrs. McGinness' mother, Mrs. Joseph Wilson, also of Sheridan, Wyo., who is visiting at the McGinness home. The evening was spent in visiting and games on the lawn. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cockayne and sons, Theodore and Joseph Vilas, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cockayne, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jenson, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Logan, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McDowell and son, Forrest, Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore and children, Kenneth, Arthur, and Clara Belle, Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Shell and children, Rhea, Milan, and Rebecca, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mitchell and son, Joseph William, Mr. and Mrs. Brice Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Sorenus Jenson, Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Griffey and granddaughter Jessie, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Ashford, Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Bancroft, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Babb; Misses Nellie, Crystal and Pauline Hall Mabel Patterson, Josephine and Violet Jenson, Pearl Booth, Vida Wilson, Alta Doyle, Lois Wiley, Jessamine Williams, Mae Logan, Irene, Leta and Dorothy Babb, Mae, Pearl, Verla and Clara McGinness, Dora Ashford; Messrs. Howard, Robert and Jimmie Patterson, Lester Hall, Cecil Grooms, Lester, Morton and Dale Babb, Luther Jenson, John Wesley Thompson, Vern Mitchell, James Keith, Sam Vulgamott, Walter and Arthur Wilson, Walter Logan, Milton Tillman and Therman Ashford, Rolland, Dale and Jimmie McGinness; Mrs. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. McGinness and little Misses Dorothy and Dora McGinness.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Holt and children, living north of Maryville will leave tomorrow morning in their car for Bristow, Okla., where they will visit Mr Holt's sister, Mrs. May B. Lovett.

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Man's Foster Mother a Cow

Sedalia, Mo., Aug. 21.—While Missourians have long since recognized their foster mother as being the cow, yet they have not until recently paid the tribute to the dairy cow that this fine animal deserves. The dairy cattle show at the Missouri State Fair, September 22 to 29, will be one of the splendid features of the Mid-West's greatest exposition. The cow is another animal that is doing her BEST, along with the hen, to help cut down the high cost of living and help Uncle Sam win

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Spend an interesting hour seeing these first authentic models in the most wanted colors and fabrics.

Visit the store often and keep in touch with the new fall creations that are arriving daily in the various departments.

A War Relief Unit.

The women of the First Baptist church are asked to meet at the church at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon for the purpose of organizing a unit for war relief work. A quantity of thoroughly clean, old table linens, towels, counterpanes or soft white rags is needed, and the women are requested to bring some to the meeting.

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The Union Sunday school meeting at Skidmore Chautauqua Sunday morning voted to give the collection to the Skidmore Surgical Dressings unit for the purchase of material. It amounted to $18.80.

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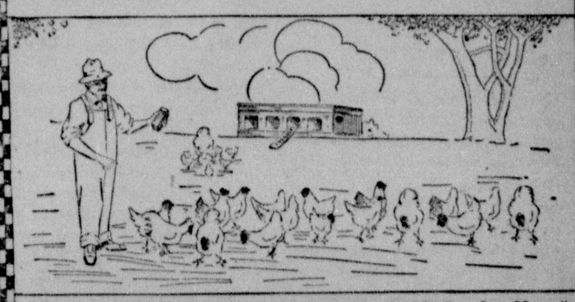

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MISCELLANEOUS

PLUMBING—We make a specialty of installing modern plumbing in old houses and remodeling old plumbing; estimates free. Standard Plumbing Co., Han. 46.

WANTED

NURSE wants work, country preferred. Nellie Waybill, telephone 29-21, Skidmore. 10-13

WANTED — A girl at Maryville Laundry. 10-13

JUNK—I will pay the highest prices for all kinds of junk, also all junk automobiles. Calls promptly attended to. Maryville Iron & Metal Co., Hanamo 116, Farmers 176. 13-22*

WANTED—By couple with infant child, furnished house or housekeeping rooms for the winter. Address Democrat-Forum office with description and price. 10-13*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good as new 2-room house, to be removed from premises. Chas. Hyslop. 24tf

FOR SALE—Sow and eight pigs. 1013 East 5th St., Hanamo 6441. 13tf

FOR SALE—Second hand Ford car. See or call Walter Wray. 13-15

FOR SALE — Royal typewriter, model No. 5, bargain. Inquire R. L. McDougal or phone Hanamo 5297. 11-14*

FOR SALE — Suburban home, 5 rooms and two lots; barn. David Brown, North Saunders. 10-13

FOR SALE—75 feet iron railing and posts and 100 feet stone base for same. 219 West Second St., Han. 729. 10-tf

DIRT for sale. See Dick Strong at Barber shop. 10-13

FOR SALE—Tomatoes for canning, 75c bushel. Call W. Spoor, Hanamo 473. 11-14*

FOR SALE—Car of tankage on the Burlington track. Maryville Feed and Milling Co., 205 West 3rd St. Hanamo 110, Farmers 230. 13-15

FOR SALE—Coal oil stove with cabinet, in perfect condition. Mrs. Johnson, 301 East 3rd. Hanamo 3527. 13-15

FOR SALE—Dining room set, davenport, bed, Princess dresser, library table, carpet sweeper. All first class. Must sell. Call at house from 3 to 5 o'clock each afternoon this week until goods sell. Bert Cooper. 13-15*

HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT — 6 large rooms; empty Sept. 1. Choice building lots for sale. See J. T. Hays, Hanamo 575. 2tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT — The entire house at 612 North Mulberry street, furnished, at $35 per month, without furniture $30 per month, after September 1. See S. H. Kemp. 11-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern home, lady or gentlemen. Inquire of Mrs. Trullinger at Ashford's Millinery store. 13-15

FOR RENT—Furnished room for light housekeeping. 204 South Vine. Farmers phone 174-11. 11-14

FOR RENT—5-room house, lights, water and barn. See Glover & Alexander. 11-14

FOR RENT—8-room house, modern execept water, well and cistern, at 114 South Main. N. F. Hopper, 309 West Second. 11-14*

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

High School Class Had Picnic.

The members of the spring graduating class of 1914 of the Maryville High school held a reunion and picnic yesterday. They went to the Platte river south and west of Ravenwood. The members of the class in attendance were Misses Ora Quinn, Edna Dietz, Frances Hahn, Juno Jones, Anna Marjery Halasey, George M. Crowson, Lee Strickler, Harold Ramsey and Clement Hahn. he visitors present were Mrs. Lee Strickler, Kirker Sawyers and Fred Gray.

A Surprise Party for Noah Sipes.

Noah Sipes who celebrated his 70th birthday anniversary Saturday was surprised by a number of his friends and relatives Saturday evening who gathered at his home to spend the evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reese, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Froman and daughter, Rozella, and son, Forest; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Nicholas, and daughter, Eleanor, and son, Jud; Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Reese, Mrs. Eph Tilton, Mr. and Mrs. H. Edwards, Mr. Sexton, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goforth, Mr. and O. C. Wallace and son, John Curtis, Miss Florence Sage, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Croy, Frank Orcutt, Miss Hallie Culver, C. H. Sipes and daughter, Mabel, Mrs. F. E. Rutheford, of Troy, Kan., and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Sipes.

Celebrates Twenty-Third Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bird of Parnell celebrated their twenty-third wedding anniversary yesterday at their home. A number of their friends, neighbors and relatives brought well filled baskets, and at the noon hour a delightful dinner was served Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Elias Brown and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. Orlie Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Day and family, Mr. and Mrs. James I. Milltr and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Mayfield and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, Mr. and Mrs. John Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Miller, George Lowe, Chester Winemiller, Miss Edna Busby of Maryville and Miss Winemiller of Sheridan.

Miss Bainum Hostess.

Miss Anna Bainum entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last evening at the Hotel Bainum. Her guests were: Miss Louise Marshall, Miss Myers, T. H. McKean and F. Harman of Mound City.

GIRL BREAKS ARM IN ACCIDENT.

Virginia Hughbanks Narrowly Escaped Being Run Over by Car.

Virginia Hughbanks, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hughbanks of Eeast First street, narrowly escaped being run over by a car driven by Albert Kuchs this morning. The little girl was playing in the street and ran out in front of the car but Mr. Kuchs stopped the machine in time to prevent running over her, but the girl was knocked down and sustained a broken arm in the fall. Mr. Kuchs was accompanied by Edward Keck and they were on their way to the camp of the men working on the Barnard electric line.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hoffine of St. Joseph motored to Maryville Saturday evening to spend Sunday with relatives. They were accompanied by Misses Bertha Ritze and Stella Smith, who had been attending a house party given by Misses Mayme and Anna Dooley.

To Hold A Revival.

The First Baptist church decided yesterday to hold their revival meeting commencing about the middle of October and continuing about four weeks. They have not selected the evangelist and singer.

Went to Big Lake.

Harold Ryan, Byron Cistello, B. E. Condon, Aubrey Lyle, Virgil Lyle, Harry Gray, Virgil and Roland Curnutt went to Big Lake yesterday. Ryan, Condon and Borrusch have rented a cottage and remained for a few days at the Lake.

RACING STILL GREAT SPORT

Sedalia, Mo., Sept. 4.—Racing may have been the ancient sport of kings and if all reports are true it was but with the decline of kings, they being a sort of drag on the open market these days, one need not think that their ancient sport has gone glimmering along with the crowns that have been knocked off their heads. One will only have to secure a seat in the grandstand at the Missouri State Fair, September 22 to 29, to learn that racing is as popular at the Missouri State Fair as it ever was and that the people like it yet, and it is now the sport of the democracy. The State Fair race track is the finest in the West. The automobile races are run on the same track that is used for the race horse speed events

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

FIVE GENERATIONS ATTEND

Family Reunion Held at the Home of Mrs. Mary Harry, at Ravenwood Yesterday.

A family reunion, at which seven families were represented and five generations were present, was held yesterday at the home of Mrs. Mary Harry of Ravenwood.

The five generations were: Grandma Harry, and oldest daughter, Mrs. Willis Campbell of Mountain Grove, Mo., Alpha Campbell, the oldest son of Mrs. Campbell, and his daughter, Mrs. Milo Comer and baby of Ravenwood.

Grandma Harry is 83 years old. She was born in Virginia, where she lived until about one year after she was married to L. Harry. They moved to a farm north of St. Joseph, and lived for one year, and then moved to a farm near Ravenwood, where they lived for a number of years. They have resided in Ravenwood for the last forty-three years.

Mr. Harry died eight years ago, and since that time, Mrs. Harry has lived with two of her daughters, Mrs. I. A. Brooks and Miss Jemima Harry.

Nine children, one son, and eight daughters, were born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry. Only five of the children are living. They are: Mrs. Willis Campbell, Mountain Grove, Mo.; Mrs. I. A. Brooks and Miss Jemima Harry at home; Mrs. J. C. Kessler, Maryville; and Mrs. Maggie Bardwell of Long Beach, Calif. All but Mrs. Bardwell were present at the reunion.

At the noon hour dinner was served to the following: Mrs. Mary Harry, Mrs. Willis Campbell and daughter, Audrey of Mountain Grove, Mo., Mrs. I. A. Brooks, Miss Jemima Harry, Dr. R. R. Dunshee and children, Harry, Mabel and Roy Dunshee of Stanberry, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kessler and children, Ernest, Merl, Opal, Bertha and Grace of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. Alpha Campbell and children, Mr and Mrs. Milo Comer and baby of Ravenwood, and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Watson of Columbia, Mo.

To Training Camp at Ft. Sheridan.

Winford W. Hawkins of Lawrence, Kan., son of Prof. C. A. Hawkins of this city, and Forrest W. Hanna of K. C., son of O. C. Hanna of this city, are among the men chosen for students in second officers training camp at Ft. Sheridan, Ill. L. A. Myers of this city, a salesman for the Morrell Packing company, has also been accepted.

Parnell Picnic This Week.

The Parnell picnic will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday this week. Among the speakers are Charles F. McCaffrey of Maryville and Prof. Guy Curry. Among the attractions will be the Leonard Players, who will furnish free attractions besides having their tent show and a band, Thomas' big swing and the Rosendale band.

Mr and Mrs. W. O. Garrett and children, Arthur and Gertrude, left Saturday in their car for a several weeks' visit in Ottumwa and Eldon, Ia.

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Just to Let You Know That We Sell

Certain - teed Roofing

See ad on this page

Curfman Lumber Co.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hoffine of St. Joseph motored to Maryville Saturday evening to spend Sunday with relatives. They were accompanied by Misses Bertha Ritze and Stella Smith, who had been attending a house party given by Misses Mayme and Anna Dooley.

On Motor Trip To Illinois.

Prof. and Mrs. P. O. Landon and Kurt and Truman Landon will leave in the morning in their car for a visit at Jerseyville, Ill., with Mr. Landon's mother, Mrs. Mary Landon, and at Carlinville, with Mrs. Landon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hoblit.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Grain Futures.

Kansas City, Aug. 13.—WHEAT — Sept., $2.14.

CORN—Sept., $1.62; Dec., $1.14⅝.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Aug. 13.—CATTLE—Receipts, 18,000; steers, $10.00@$14.00; cows, $6.00@$13.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 7,900; top, $17.35; bulk, $16.50@$17.25.

SHEEP—Receipts, 4,000.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 13.—CATTLE— Receipts, 13,500; market, 10c higher.

HOGS—Receipts, 26,000; market, 10c higher; top, $17.40.

SHEEP—Receipts, 11,000; market, 10c higher.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Aug. 13.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,600; market, 10 to 15c up.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,500; market, 10c to 15c up; top, $17.15.

SHEEP—Receipts, 700.

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce company.

Buttter fat, per lb	38c
Eggs	25
Hens	14
Spring Chickens, per lb	18c
Hides, per lb	16c
Ducks, per lb	10c
Geese, per lb	8c
Old Roosters, per lb	8c

Move to New Residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Gray are moving this week into their new home at the corner of West Second and Frederick streets. The Wilbur Smith residence, which Mr. and Mrs. Gray have been occupying has been leased by Mr. and Mrs. George Palfreyman, who will take possession soon.

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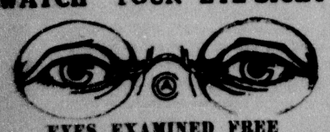

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BASKET DINNER WELL ATTENDED

Annual Home Coming of Christian Church of Pickering Held Sunday.

The annual home coming of the Christian church of Pickering was held yesterday and about 400 people were in attendance. A basket dinner was served. The threatening weather kept many from attending the affair. Rev. E. H. Hutchison, pastor of the church preached a home coming sermon. Rev. C. Emerson Miller of Maryville, delivered an address in the afternoon.

Took American Gun Crew.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 13.—Ambassador Sharp at Paris and all American consular officials along the French coast are plainly worried about the situation of the captain and four members of the armed guard of the American steamer, Campania, which was sunk by a German submarine. Rumors that the Campania went down only after a great fight are widely circulated here but the department declined to discuss them Forty-seven survivors reached land in safety.

Farmers Not Satisfied With Price.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 13.—Following announcements by Herbert Hoover, that the food administration board is to take control of the nation's wheat commencing September sixth, farmers' organizations throughout the country got busy today to secure proper representations on price fixing. The big wheat growing districts want practical men named to assist President Garfield of Williams College who has been made chairman of the board. Many farmers are not satisfied with the two dollars minimum price for wheat.

NOTICE.

Have your feet treated. Dr. Tandy is at the Bainum Hotel. Will make residence calls. Phone Hanamo 172. 6tf.

Mrs. Warren Jones and daughter, Mary Elizabeth, went to St. Joseph Saturday evening to spend a few days with Mrs. Jones' sister, Mrs. H. E. Burnam. They will visit in Bethany with Mrs. Jones' cousin, J. C. Wilson, before returning.

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Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 35 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable

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Not long ago the manager of the most remarkable "Country Store" in America was asked what he did to produce such a remarkable business, because this store which does a business of $400,000 a year is located in a town of just 1,015 people. His answer was:

"Advertising—lots of it—every kind of it—and always held right down to the truth.—Without advertising we would still be doing the business of the average country store in a town of a thousand inhabitants—instead of drawing trade from fairly big cities in almost every direction. Turnover is the pass word to success for the merchants in the country in the city—everywhere. You will never find turnover making distinctive speed without finding advertising to be the motive power."

This ought to be a decisive argument for the small town merchant who cannot see the power of advertising. The man who wants to see his business grow and prosper has proof a plenty of what it takes. You had better begin to advertise at once. Everyday of waiting is a day wasted.

DAILY DEMOCRAT-FORUM

NEWS DISPATCHES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.

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KILLS HIS WIFE, THEN ENDS HIS LIFE

FLOYD LEONARD OF ELMO COMMITTED DEED SUNDAY MORNING.

WIFE AND HUSBAND SEPARATED JULY 4

Letter Left Stated He Couldn't Stand to Live Without His Wife and Child Any Longer.

Floyd E. Leonard slashed the throat of his wife, Laura Pearl Leonard, and then cut his own throat with a razor, at the home of Mrs. Leonard's mother, Mrs. Mary Pike, in Elmo, about three o'clock Sunday morning. Mrs. Leonard lived only a few minutes, while Leonard lived for about ten minutes after the physicians arrived.

Leonard secured admittance to the house by breaking in a window with his suit case. Mrs. Leonard and her mother were awakened by the noise and disturbance, Mrs. Pike jumping out of the window through which Leonard came in and crying for help. Mrs. Pike heard Leonard ask his wife: "Won't you come back and live with me?" to which Mrs. Leonard replied "yes."

Leonard cut nearly half of her head off. She walked to the back porch where she fell dead and then Leonard slashed his own throat with the bloody razor, dying nearby his wife, soon after Drs. Neeley and Ferguson arrived on the scene.

Had Separated July 4.

Leonard and his wife have been separated since July 4. Mrs. Leonard filed suit for divorce on July 11 and alleged that Leonard had absented himself from home at night, had assaulted her, had used vile and threatening remarks toward her, had not provided for her needs, and that Leonard had invited her to leave him. The case was docketed for the September term of court. Prosecuting Attorney Sawyers was the attorney for Mrs. Leonard.

Contest For the Child.

A writ of habeas corpus for the possession of the 2-year-old child, Wilma Esther, was filed and decided in circuit court on July 14, when the custody was given to the mother and the father was granted the right to have the child each Sunday and to return her to the mother each Sunday evening. The court also ordered the father to pay to her mother the sum of $2 a week for the support of the child.

Leonard had contemplated killing his wife and either taking his own life or leaving the country according to facts revealed today. He had made arrangements Saturday evening with Charles Beaver of Elmo to drive him to Blanchard to catch the early morning Wabash train. He had his suit case with him which contained a suit of clothes, underwear, hose and a pair of shoes. He had told his father Friday that he was going to Canada to live. Evidently his plans miscarried or he had prepared for any emergency by writing the letter which was found in his clothes. The letter which is published in the next column stated that he couldn't stand to live without his wife and child any longer.

Had Over $50 On His Person.

On his person was found $50.76, $15 of it being a warrant from Lincoln township. Leonard had been employed with a bridge gang by the township. He also had sold his horse and had taken his household furniture from Elmo to his father's home.

Leonard was in Elmo Saturday night and his friends stated he appeared nervous and restless. He was seen as late as midnight that night in that town. Some people of Elmo think Leonard had planned to do the deed later in the morning and to make his escape, but being so nervous and restless he put it off as long as he could.

Coroner H. S. Rowlett was called to Elmo and held a view inquest.

Mrs. Leonard Buried at Braddyville.

Funeral services for Mrs. Leonard were held at the Methodist church in Elmo this afternoon, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Ragsdale. Burial took place at Braddyville, Ia. Mrs. Leonard was 22 years old and had lived practically all her life in Elmo. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Mary Pike, and three brothers and one sister, who are: Wilbur and Harley Pike, Colorado; Ralph Pike, Nebraska; and Mrs. Henry Neff, Elmo.

Services for Mr. Leonard were held this afternoon at the Christian church in Burlington Junction and conducted by the Rev. Horace Weaver Burial took place in the Ohio cemetery in that town. Mr. Leonard is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Leonard, who live in Burlington Junction, two brothers and four sisters. They are: Edgar and Dewey Leonard, living at home; Mrs. Orville Younger of Clearmont; Mrs. Bertha Adams of St. Joseph; and Vera and Mabel Leonard at home. Mr. Leonard was 28 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard were married in Page county, Ia., on March 11, 1914.

HIS LAST LETTER.

Elmo, Mo., Aug. 12, 1917.

To My Mother, Father, Brothers and Friends:

When you read these few lines I will be in a far away land. My dear wife left me on the 4th day of July taking with her my darling little girl which is all this world to me I love my wife and baby better than my own life. I would rather see my wife lie in a coffin than to live without me and my darling girl. I can't stand to live without them. I am going crazy. It is killing me by inches. I can't stand it any longer so I will close hoping you will all forgive me for this crime. Bury me and my wife side by side.

Sincerely,
F. E. LEONARD.

FOURTH LEAVES TONIGHT

Regiment Will Depart From St. Joseph for Camp Clark—Have Been In St. Joseph A Week.

The Fourth Regiment band with the other companies of the regiment will leave St. Joseph this evening for Camp Clark. Orders for the Fourth to move came by telegraph Saturday night, and set the officers to instant action to make the necessary arrangements. Two sections of a special train will be run out of St. Joseph in two sections to carry the troops.

It is probable the departure will be taken at 7 or 8 o'clock this evening but the exact time has not been announced.

The band has been stationed at St. Joseph the past week.

Company A of Tarkio left Tarkio this afternoon for Nevada by the way of St. Joseph. Several Maryville boys are members of Company A.

FEDS WIN FROM SHENANDOAH

Champions of Southwestern Iowa Defeated by A Score of 6 to 4 Sunday Afternoon.

The Feds yesterday downed the Shenandoah Red Sox, the champions of Southwestern Iowa, by the score of 6-4. Although eight errors were made by the Feds to three by the Red Sox, they were not all of the serious kind.

The visitors from Iowa scored in the first inning on two hits and a fielder's choice. They pushed over two more in the fourth on two errors and a single. Their final counter was made in the fifth on an error, passed ball and a single

The local team started their scoring in the third inning when Homer Summa tripled to right field and was scored by Black's single. In the next inning they came back with four more. Scott hit for three bases and L. Walker scored him with a single. Tilson reached first on an error and Watson hit safely. They both scored on a triple by Black. Maryville's last run was made in the eighth on an error, a wild pitch and a single.

Still pitched a good steady game, allowing only six hits and one base on balls. He struck out seven men. McKee started in the box for Shenandoah but only lasted four innings. Wyman took his place. The batting honors go to L Walker of the Feds He made three hits and received a base on balls in four times at bat.

Next Sunday the Feds will play the St. Louis Traveling Wabash club here.

The lineups of the two teams yesterday were:

Shenandoah—Simmons, ss; Anderson, c; Stanger, cf; Wyman, rf and p; Mitchell, 2b; Dutton, 3b; Burns, lf; Allenbaugh, 1b; McKee, p and rf.

Maryville—Summa, rf; Black, c; Miller, 3b; V. Walker, 2b; Scott, ss; L. Walker, cf; Tilson, 1b; Watson, lf; Still, p.

J.E. HOLT RELEASED

WAS ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH FIRE OF POWDER PLANT.

WORD RECEIVED TODAY

Maryville Boy Was Held By Federal Agents at Chicago on Serious Charge.

Word was received late this afternoon that Jackson E. Holt who had been arrested was released as he was entirely innocent.

The Chicago papers yesterday contained accounts of the fire of the Aetnae Powder plant located at Gary, Ind., and stated that J. E. Holt of Maryville, an employee of the plant, had been arrested on a charge of setting fire to the plant.

The account from the Chicago Examiner is as follows:

Demand for the return of troops which until last Sunday were guarding the great plant of the Aetna Explosives company, neary Gary, Ind. was made by citizens of Gary yesterday, following the fire which caused a $1,000,000 loss in the plant early yesterday morning.

The fire, it is believed was set by alien enemies. It started, according to officials, in the dry cotton building, where no one goes at night, where there are no fires or matches used and where there are no electric wires.

Two men, both of whom went to work at the plant last week, are being held as suspects in the fire, and other arrests are promised by Federal authorities. Those held are J. E. Holt, of Maryville, Mo., and Earl Krueger of New Buffalo, Mich.

According to Superintendent Charles Martin of the factory, both men have been suspected since entering the service of the company and have been under constant surveillance.

Superintendent Martin ordered their arrest because of their suspicious actions after the fire started. Both speak with a foreign accent, it is said, but deny that they are of Teuton birth or descent.

An incendiary bomb set at the plant is believed to have caused the fire. The flames were discovered early yesterday morning and traveled with incredible swiftness to all parts of the building containing cotton, and through covered runways to other buildings in which the cotton goes through the various processes that convert it into an explosive.

Five fire companies from Gary and Miller, Ind., fought the flames for hours. As the cotton, impregnated with explosive, caught fire it flared up in great flashes that turned the sky a lurid red for miles around.

Main efforts of the firemen were devoted to keeping the fire from the nitrate and sulphuric acid buildings. Had these caught fire an explosion would have resulted that would have wrecked the entire plant and cost many lives.

That an explosion in the cotton buildings did not result was due to the fact that at no place were the explosives confined. After trying to subdue the flames for hours the firemen finally permitted them to burn out.

COURT TO GO TO SAVANNAH.

Will Meet With the Andrew County Court Wednesday.

The members of the county court, Judges Blackford, Schmidt and Hepburn, will go to Savannah Wednesday to meet with the county court of Andrew county relative to a petition for a new road on the county line between Nodaway and Andrew.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Carnagie and children of Rapid City, S. Dak., arrived last week in their car to visit for several weeks with Mrs. Carnagie's mother, Mrs. L. T. DeVore.

Miss May Shipps, Miss Jessie Lyon and Ray Shipps were guests Sunday at th home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray, living southeast of Maryville.

Miss Grace McAnulty of St. Joseph arrived Saturday night to visit Miss Nell Hudson and other friends.

Ice Cream Social

at the Bedison Christian Church, Thursday night, August 16.

213 WOMEN REGISTER

THAT MANY SIGNED UP SATURDAY IN MARYVILLE.

WORK WILL CONTINUE

Skidmore Had 70 to Register and Clyde 9—Other County Reports Have Not Been Received Yet.

Two hundred thirteen women of Maryville and vicinity put their names on the honor roll of Nodaway county by joining Saturday in the national women's registration movement, designed to give the national government information as to what the women of the country can and will do in case they are needed.

A fine showing was also made at Skidmore where seventy women were registered by Mrs. J. F. Patton who was in charge of the movement at that place. The registration booth was placed on the Chautauqua grounds.

The only district in the county from which returns have been received is at Clyde where nine women were registered by Miss Leona Enis.

The registration at each of the places provided in Maryville was as follows: Jefferson school six; Montgomery Shoe Co., forty-seven; Remus Mercantile Co., thirty-three; Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods store, twenty-six; Schumacher Grocery Co., twenty-eight; Maryville Furniture Co., nineteen; Rest Room, twenty-eight; Eversole & Son, twenty-six.

Several women who were unable to register Saturday are turning in their blanks today. Any others who wish to register are urged to secure blanks from Miss Jessie Parcher or from any o' the chairmen of the committees appointed for Saturday.

A voluntary offering was taken to cover the cost of the registration but the results are not known as the boxes have not yet been opened The amount at Skidmore was $3.10.

Mrs. Patton at the Skidmore registration booth was assisted by Misses Hildred Goslee, Fannie Albright and Letta Strickler. The youngest one to register there was Eleanor Sewell, the 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Sewell. The oldest one to register was Mrs. Martha Cameron, who is 89 years old. Two registered to go anywhere, several registered they were willing to go anywhere in the United States ,and a number preferred home.

The reason fo rsuch a low registration seemed to be a misunderstanding of the reason for registration, Miss Parcher said. "They didn't realize nor understand the necessity for the act, and they were afraid they would be under obligation to do something they did not want to do."

WILLIAM FLOWERS DIES

Hopkins Man Died After A Long Illness Saturday—The Funeral This Afternoon.

William Flowers, 85 years old, died at 4:30 o'clock Saturday morning at his home in Hopkins following a long illness.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Baptist church, conducted by the Rev. D. W. Griffith. Burial was in the Hopkins cemetery.

Mr. Flowers is an old settler of Nodaway county, and has lived in Hopkins for a number of years. He is survived by his wife and several children.

COLBERT MADE A CAPTAIN

Maryville Boy Receives High Rank Commission—Was Training at Fort Sheridan, Ill.

Herschel M. Colbert, son of Dean and Mrs. G. H. Colbert of this city, was awarded the rank of captain of the officers reserve corps, according to word received by The Democrat-Forum today. Mr. Colbert has been in training at Fort Sheridan, Ill., having resigned a position on the editorial staff of the Chicago Examiner to attend. Mr. Colbert is expected to arrive home this week for a visit with his parents.

Meeting Was Not Held Sunday.

The Knights of Columbus meeting to have been held Sunday afternoon was postponed on account of several of the speakers being unable to attend. The date of the meeting was not decided on.

"GEORGE, WHAT ON EARTH IS THE MATTER WITH YOUR ARM?"

—Donahey in Cleveland Plain Dealer.

AFTER ROOSEVELT

COMMERCIAL CLUB MAKING EFFORTS TO GET FORMER PRES.

FOR PATRIOTIC ADDRESS

Col. Roosevelt Is To Make A Western Trip and Will Be In Kansas City September 24.

Efforts are being made to get Col. Theodore Roosevelt to come to Maryville while on his western trip. Col. Roosevelt is to appear in Kansas City on September 24, to give a patriotic address.

An invitation to Col Roosevelt was sent by Secretary E. M. Claypool of the Commercial Club. Mr. Claypool also wired Conrad Yehle who is in New York to go to Oyster Bay and see Mr. Roosevelt. W. C. Pierce has also written Mr. Roosevelt

If the former president is secured, the Commercial Club will arrange for a big patriotic meeting here.

BOARD CONSIDERS CLAIMS

A Number of Exemption Claims Passed on Today—Were Not Made Public.

The local exemption board is meeting today and considering claims for exemption that were filed by a number of accepted men Action was taken by the board on several claims but they will not be made public probably until tomorrow.

The board will consider claims for the next few days. The rejected men who failed on account of defects of the eye, ear, mouth or weight will be called back for another examination probably the latter part of the week.

The list of accepted men as well as the rejected are now being certified and will be sent on to the district board at Kansas City.

LATE TELEGRAPH NEWS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Cleveland, Aug. 13.—Dr. Leroy Buny, a negro wanted in St. Louis in connection with the murder of two persons during the recent race riots there was arrested here today.

Abilene, Kans., Aug. 13.—Phil Haley who shot and killed his father here claims self-defense.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 13.—Crude oil has advanced fifteen cents and is being quoted at three twenty-five, the highest price in fifty years.

A Pacific Port, Aug. 13.—The Imperial Japanese mission to the United States arrived here today on a Japanese warship.

Roy Conrad of near Parnell had a yield of oats that averaged 72¼ bushels to the acre.

A CLEAN-UP DAY

SUPT. COOPER SUGGESTS ONE FOR RURAL SCHOOLS ON AUG. 29.

SCHOOLS OPEN SEPT. 3

Buildings Should Be Repaired, Such As Papering and Painting, Weeds Cut and Yards Mowed.

In a letter to the district school clerks, County Superintendent Bert Cooper suggests that a general clean-up day for all of the schools be held on August 29. He recommends that the schools open on Monday Sept. 3.

His letter in part is as follows:

"I have recommended that you have school open on Monday, September 3. If the children wish to attend the county fair, then the teacher could dismiss Thursday and Friday and make up the days later in the year. This will enable your district to complete the first semester of school before Christmas vacation.

"I am suggesting August 29 as general "clean-up day." The board should do all repairing of building, out-buildings, papering and painting before that time. The yard should be mowed, the well pumped dry and cleaned on that day or before, but general clean-up day should be a real gathering of children, patrons and teacher.

"Nothing would please the teacher more and inspire her to her best efforts than for you to see that she is provided with a good broom, erasers, chalk, sweeping compound, to put down dust, and if the pupils cannot drink at the pump, a good water jar with a faucet, all before school opens.

"Last year was the best Nodaway county schools have ever had and it was due to progressive school boards employing good teachers and working with the teacher for better schools."

Steamer Sunk; American Lives Lost.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 13.—A State Department dispatch says that some American lives were lost when the American steamer, City of Athens, struck a mine and sank off Capetown, South Africa.

Miss Mabel Patterson was a weekend guest of Miss Adah Ware of Barnard and also attended the Barnard picnic.

GREAT BATTLE ON

FOR THE POSSESSION OF MOLDAVIA PROVINCE.

MAKING STUBBORN STAND

The Russ-Roumanians Are Defending This Province—Russian Naval Base Attacked by Germans.

WAR

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Geneva, Aug. 13.—A great battle for the possession of the province of Moldavia the only part of Roumania that the German allies failed to conquer in their big drive last winter, was developed along a front of more than fifty miles, Vienna advices say today. It is admitted that the Roumanian-Russian army defending this province are making a stubborn stand.

It is also reported that the naval base of the Russians at Sebastopol has been attacked by German airmen.

A Lull in Belgium.

London, Aug. 13.—Following a burst of heavy fighting north of Lens and along the Belgian front comparative calm settled down during the night, the British war office announced today.

Germans Preparing for New Offensive

Petrograd, Aug. 13.—There are indications that the Germans are preparing for a new offensive against the Russians.

2 GERMAN PLANES DOWN

Took Part in Raid Over Southeastern Coast of England—More Than A Score Killed.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Aug. 13.—Two of the German aeroplanes that took part in Sunday's raid over the southeastern coast of England were destroyed by British pursuers while returning to their base, it was officially announced today. It is indicated by fresh details that the raid was directed against the naval estblishments at the estuary of the Thomas river. As in the past, however, only the innocent suffered. All the damage was done to summer resorts, where numerous visitors had gathered for the week-end. Most of the victims killed were women and children.

In addition to the dead who numbered more than a score, between fifty and sixty were wounded. Renewed demands for reprisals to be made are expected and a statement may be forthcoming on the subject in Parliament this afternoon.

NO CARS MOVING AT K. C.

Department of Labor to Send Representatives to Settle the Car Strike Police Refuse to do Duty.

Kansas City, Aug. 13.—Over a hundred policemen today stated that they would resign rather than to do strike duty. The street car situation is still in the air and probability of settlement seems remote. No cars are moving. A hundred saloons in the down town district including all the big hotels have been closed by federal order.

Washington, Aug 13.—The Department of Labor is sending representatives to Kansas City to attempt to settle the car strike.

WILL GO TO FORT SHERIDAN.

V. N. Cornelius A Normal Student and Grant Gates of Ravenwood Accepted.

Among those accepted for the second officers' training camp at Fort Sheridan, Ill., were Vern Nelson Cornelius, a student of the State Normal school, and Grant J. Gates of Ravenwood.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy east, unsettled, with probably showers in the west portion tonight and Tuesday; not much change in temperature.

Feature Tonight

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Real Estate Transfers.

List of instruments filed for record in the Recorder's office of Nodaway county, beginning August 4.

Clarence C. Holbrook to Clement C. Gates, E½, SE & E½, SW, SE, 3, 66, 36, $10,125.

E. G. Larrabee to Gertrude E. Mc-Corkle, lot 4, Shell's Add. to Burlington Junction, $1.

Ellen Snyder et al to J. Ralph Miller, lots 6 and 7, block 1, Brown's Add. to Graham, $800.

Elizabeth E. W. Ford to Schmidt & Dowden, lot 26, part lot 25, SB, Maryville, $4,500.

William G. Sayler to John A. Tibbetts, part NE, 8, 65, 37, $35.

Gertrude Prather to James B Robinson, part lot 12, WB, Maryville, $10,000.

Katherine Deschauer to Orville A. Bennett and wife, lots 3 and 4, block 8, Torrance's Addition to Maryville, $1,550.

Rudolph H. Deschauer et al to same lots 3 and 4, block 8, Torrance Add. to Maryville, $516.

Ollie L. Fisher to Walter Yeisley, interest in W½, NW, 23, part S½, NE, 22, part SE, SE, 10, 63, 35, $635.

Hugh Crawford to Thomas McWhorter, part lot 3, block 3, Hawks' 1st Add. to Ravenwood, $2,200.

Thomas McWhorter to Hugh Crawford, part block 3, Hawks' 1st Add. to Ravenwood, $150.

Rebecca A. Skidmore et al to Hickerson & Littler, lots 1 and 2, block 3, and 11, Add. Skidmore, $175.

Samuel R. Gibson et al to Troy E. Crane, SW & NW Fr¼, 36, 67, 34, $26,500.

John E. Yeisley to Walter Yeisley, interest in W½, NW, 23, part S½, NE, 22, part SE, SE, $2,540.

Quit-Claim Deeds.

August E. Klaas to Mrs. Scynthia A. Muse, lot 5, block 22, Parnell, $125.

Guardian Deed.

Anson C. Snyder est. to J. Ralph Miller one-third interest in lots 6 and 7, block 1, Brown's Add to Graham, $275.

Erving C. Deschauer est. to Orville A. Bennett and wife, lots 3 and 4, block 8, Torrance's Add to Maryville, $172.22.

Articles of Association.

Maryville Drug Company, Capital stock, $5,000.

Visiting in Graham Today.

Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Shell and Rev. J. E. Davis of Kansas City, motored to Graham today to visit at the home of Mr and Mrs. Will Crawford. They will be accompanied home by Rev. S. D. Harlan, who will start a revival meeting at the Wilcox Christian church tonight.

Mrs Ed Brewer and children returned Saturday night from a three week's visit with relatives in Tarkio and vicinity.

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80,000 REGISTERED

THAT MANY WOMEN IN THE STATE HAVE SIGNED FOR SERVICE.

MANY ANXIOUS TO SERVE

Corps of Girls Working Under Mrs. Walter McNab Miller in Receiving and Filing Cards.

Jefferson City, Aug. 13.—Approximately 80,000 Missouri women have registered for service and signed the Hoover pledge for food conservation to help prosecute the war more vigorously, according to returns received at the women's registration headquarters in the offices of the Missouri council of defense.

Here under the direction of Mrs. Walter McNab Miller of Columbia, who had charge of the registration for women in Missouri, outside of St. Louis, a corps of girl clerks have been busily engaged since registration day, July 28, in receiving and filing the signed cards and requests for the official button and household tag to be displayed as an evidence of the signer's interest in the work. The returns from the 114 counties were placed i nso many pasteboard boxes, while those from St. Louis, where approximately 40,000 registered and from Kansas City, where more than 23,000 women signed the cards, will be filed separately.

Women Anxious to Serve.

That Missouri women are alert to the possibilities of the war and keenly anxious to be of service is evidenced by the flood of mail that has poured into the offices of the Missouri council of defense in connection with the registration.

"I certainly had some work in the registration," wrote one Missouri woman, "and am sure if we could have had one week longer, it would have been a much larger registration. Many did not understand it. We found the impression even among our friends, that it meant service away from home, and possibly they would be torn from their family without notice, for service in France. Of course, it was foolish, but people are much the same when they do not understand a subject."

Another woman thinks it would be a commendable conservation step to adopt a war bread to conserve the wheat supply. "If people who do not like corn bread," she writes, "would use a little more corn meal with their light bread, when kneading for the last time, they could hardly tell the difference. Most northern people do not like things made of corn meal."

Many other curious sidelights on the way the war is affecting the women of the state, particularly in the rural communities, is supplied by the correspondence.

"I am a mother of two children and four stepchildren," wrote another woman, "and I have a stepson in the draft. I am willing to do anything to bring this war to a close. My husband is a successful farmer, but our boy's absence will injure us on the farm. May God bring this war to a close in the very near future is my humble, daily prayer." Another woman wrote:

Had Cook Register.

"Please find enclosed two pledge cards. Kindly send me first instructions, also two household tags, and the button, and shield insignia. I had my cook register and sign the food conservation card. She is very interested and I want a tag for her to hang in the kitchen as a reminder of "no waste in this house." Thanking you for your courtesy, I am yours in good but careful living."

A woman in Barnhart writes: "My heart is with you for the good of America. I am an old soldier's daughter, with the same patriotic heart."

A New London woman on second thought, wants to be enrolled as a lecturer, while a Joplin woman, in asking for the pledge button, comments: "I am never wasteful or extravagant, but it may be an incentive to others not to be careless or indifferent in matters of economy."

Women in the community about Hollister came to town to register, but could find no registration place. This was just the reverse of the experience in Oak Grove, where the registrar waited patiently throughout the day, but no one came.

Eldon Lloyd Buys Property.

Eldon Lloyd has purchased the property of Mrs. S. O. Hutchison on West Third street. The consideration was $3,500.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

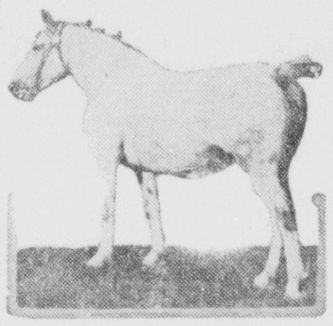
We are now connected with the SEWELL GARAGE where you will find us prepared to take care of all kinds of repair work.

IRBY & WHITNEY

THE HEN HELPS WIN WAR

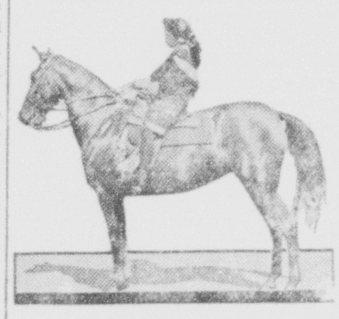
Sedalia, Mo., Sept. 18.—The paens of victory may be pronounced by the rooster, typical in many instance of victory but the cackle of the Missouri hen means that she is working over time helping win the war, and furnishing real nourishment for the men both in the trenches and those who have been taken out of the trenches back to the wards of white-washed walls. Not only does "hen fruit" help the soldier but it is sustaining the civilian, too, and the Missouri State Fair poultry show, September 22 to 29, will be the biggest event of its kind the state has ever seen.

THE DRAFT HORSE SUPREME



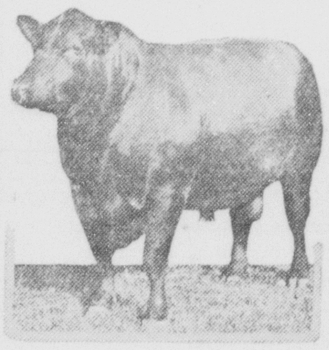
Sedalia, Mo., Aug. 21.—The draft horse has not come to be anywhere near the thing of the past that some who claimed to be prophets or sons of prophets were foretelling a few years since. Motors have not displaced this sturdy animal and his popularity is greater now than ever. The war has shifted the home of the draft horse industry to America and Missourians will be called on from now on to replenish their stock of horses from the animals that will be seen at the Missouri State Fair, September 22 to 29, as the American draft horse is the survivor of the family that had its roots in Belgian soil, but whose habitat is now America.

SADDLE HORSE AT ZENITH



Sedalia, Mo., Aug. 14.—The saddle horse is at the zenith of his glory, being able to show by his powers of endurance that he is better fitted than any type of style of horse to undergo all that Uncle Sam is expecting of the horse just now. A long line of ancestors, careful breeding for type and conformation all tend to make the saddle horse the horse that has the staying qualities for cavalry mounts. Not alone his the officer's horse but he is the horse that makes good wherever called on for the long march. The saddle horse show at the Missouri State Fair, September 22 to 29, will be stronger in saddle horse features than ever before. The world's champion saddle horse stake will be awarded in front of the grandstand at noon of Friday, September 28.

BEEF BREEDS TAKE PALM



Sedalia, Mo., Sept. 11.—The palm of victory is certainly being handed to the breeders of beef cattle this year. Not only is the red meat of the beef breeds of cattle sustaining the soldiers in the trenches and supplying the nourishment for the hospital tents at the back of the firing line but good substantial prosperity is coming to Missourians as a result of their activities in breeding beef cattle. The finest beef cattle herds in the world are at home in the clover and blue grass covered pastures of Missouri and they all come down to the State Fair each fall to go on dress parade for the visiting thousands, and incidentally take all the blue ribbons in sight from the visiting beef cattle from other states. September 22 to 29, State Fair week, will be a big event in beef breeds history this year.

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On Motor and Camping Trip.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles T. Bell and small son, Charles Robinson, Mrs. T. L. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Robinson and daughter, Miss Virginia Robinson, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Gray expect to leave Wednesday on a three weeks' motor and camping trip to Wyoming.

Mr. Hakel to Leave.

Fred Lewis Hakel will leave tomorrow for Weston, Neb., to visit his parents. On September 15, Mr. Hakel will take charge of his new position in the violin department of the Regina Conservatory of Music, Regina, Canada.

Dr. Coile to Tennessee.

Dr. S. A. Coile will leave tomorrow for Knoxville, and Morristown, Tenn., where he will visit for the next few weeks with friends and relatives.

Went to Clearmont.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Heflin and Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Shell motored to Clearmont yesterday to attend the lecture given by Rev. Arthur Dillinger, a former pastor of the Wilcox Christian church. Mr. and Mrs. Heflin, Mr. and Mrs. Shell and Rev. Dillinger were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Burch.

Leave For New Home.

Mrs. S. O. Hutchison and son, Forrest, will leave tonight for Westchester, Pa., where they will make their home. Another son, William Hutchison, will enter the University of Missouri at Columbia, in September.

Hogan Gets A Commission.

Raymond Paul Hogan of Maryville secured a first lieutenant commission for the field artillery reserve at the Fort Riley, Kans., training camp.

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25c can K C Baking Powder for 20c
35c pound cans Golden Wedding Coffee, 2 for 65c
25c pound Royal Crown Coffee, 2 for 45c
1lb pkg Rio Coffee (dish with each pound) 25c
Beans—Lima, Navys, Pinks or Mexican, per lb 15c
7 lbs for $1.00
30c screw top cans Huyler's Cocoa 18c
Tall cans, 1lb each Pet or Gold Cross milk 12c
Small cans, 6 oz each Pet or Gold Cross milk 6c
Watermelons, 25c, 35c and 50c each
No. 3 pail Pure Lard for 70c
No. 5 pail Pure Lard for $1.20
No. 10 pail Pure Lard for $2.35
8lb pails Extra Lake Fish 90c
English Breakfast Mackerel, 2 for 25c
16lb sacks Graham Flour 65c
10lb sacks Fresh Corn Meal 52c
Large bottles Stuffed Olives 23c
Pint Best Bulk Olives 20c
35c Bottles Beech Nut Brand Tomato Catsup 25c
25c bottles Snider's or Heinzs' Catsup 22c
Lee & Perrin's Table Sauce 30c and 50c bottles for ..... 25c and 45c
Quart jars Pickles — Sour, sweet or mixed 25c
Bulk Pickles, sour or sweet, dozen ..... 10cc and 15c
Ripe Olives, large can 20c
New Evaporated Apricots, per lb 25c
Extra Fancy Evaporated Apricots, per lb 30c
Large eMaty Prunes, per lb 15c
30c pkgs Naptha Washing Powder 24c
7lbs Fancy Red Globe Onions 25c
8lbs Good Cabbage 25c
Peck Cooking Apples 20c; ½ bu. 35c
5c per lb for Fresh Tomatoes.
25c Baskets Fresh Peaches.
10c cakes Williams' Shaving Soap 5c
Wild Rose Toilet Soap, 10c bars, 2 for 15c
10c pound pkg Cow Soda 7c
5c pkgs Cow Soda, 3 for 10c
5c Cartons Table Salt, 3 for 10c
10c cartons Table Salt, 2 for 15c
50 lb lumps Pressed Rock Salt 55c
48 lb Pennant Brand old wheat Flour for $2.95
48 lb sacks Maney's Best old wheat Flour for $3.25
48 lb sacks Townsend's Fancy Cream High Patent Flour $3.45
48 lb sacks Gold Coin short patent Flour for $3.50
25 lb sacks Fine Granulated Sugar for $2.50

* 5 Highest Grade Sugar Cured Hams, 10 to 12 lbs each, per lb 24c
* No other meat as cheap now as ham. We cut these hams in halves at, per lb 25c

TEA—Tango Ice Tea Blend is best 10c and 25c pkgs
TEA—(bulk) Straight Moyune Gunpowder, worth 75c for 45c per lb.
TEA—Our best Sun Cured Japan —a 60c tea, per lb 45c
TEA—Good drinking Japan—a 50c tea per lb 30c
No. 1 Imperial Tea, at 33c per lb.
Rose Dale Salmon, fancy Alaska fish, 1lb tall cans 20c, 3 for 55c, dz $2.00
Rose Dale Salmon is fine flavored, oily and choice cuts. You will reorder this brand.
Cocoa Castile Toilet Soap 10c long bars 2 for 15c
10lb sack (factory package) fine Granulated Sugar for $1.10
Cut Loaf Sugar, 10 lbs for $1.00
Fine Powdered Sugar, 2 lbs 25c; 9 lbs $1.00
10c cans Lye, 14 for $1.00
3 cans Chili Con Carne 25c
25c—2½ lbs cans Karo Syrup 18c
2 cans Best Quality Oysters (large cans) 25c
10c, 15c and 30c pkgs Sunshine Crackers for 7c, 12c and 25c, each—any kind.
Highest Grade Butterine, 1 pound prints 30c
Country cured Shoulder Meat, per pound 22c
Weigh 12 to 16 pounds each

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Society and Clubland

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Hanamo, 42. Farmers, 114

Calendar.

TUESDAY—The Woman's Missionary society of the South Methodist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the church parlors.

WEDNESDAY—Mrs. Will Montgomery will entertain the members of the Wednesday Bridge club Wednesday afternoon at her home.

The I. X. L. Embroidery club will meet Wednesday with Mrs. Jennie Bantz.

THURSDAY — The Homemakers Bible class of the South Methodist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jesse Paulette, 422 South Vine street. Mrs. Paulette and Mrs. John Porter will be the hostesses.

For Seventy-ninth Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hanna entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday in honor of the seventy-ninth birthday anniversary of Mrs. Hanna's mother, Mrs. J. C. Dutton. Covers were laid for Mrs. Kavanaugh of New Hampton, who is the guest of Prof. and Mrs. B. F. Duncan, Miss Ada Albert, Miss Hildred Hanna, the honor guest and the host and hostess.

Entertain at Croquet.

Mr and Mrs. Silas Mozingo, Misses Ethel and Jessie Mozingo, Mrs. J. Mozingo, and Eugene Baker were entertained at croquet Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Baker.

Dinner Guests at Franks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frank entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday at their home on East Seventh street. Their guests were: Mrs. John Whedbee of Carthage, Mo., and Mrs. Jennie Bantz.

Picnic At Normal Park.

A picnic party at Normal park last evening was composed of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bailey and son, Billie, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wilderman and daughter, Miss Odette, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Garrett and son, William.

To Big Lake.

Miss Julia Tate, Miss Margaret Chilton, Miss Allie Jean Fraser and Misses Stella and Eleanor Smith will leave Wednesday for Big Lake, near Bigelow, where they have rented a cottage for a week.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson entertained Monday with a dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Loomis and children of Diamond Springs, Kan., who drove overland here Saturday to spend a few days visiting relatives Mrs. Loomis was formerly known here as Miss Hazel Beason.

Parnell Picnic Party.

Mrs. Frank Bloomfield chaperoned a party of Parnell's young people at a fishing party Friday afternoon at Platte river. Those in the party were Misses Martha Hindeia, Agnes Smith, Mildred Hall, Ethel Pope, Rosetta Klaas and Mrs. Bloomfield.

Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Brody of Wilcox entertained at dinner Sunday, their guests being Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McGaffin and son, Robert Arthur of Corning, Ia., Earl Bobbit, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Friend and sons Hughie, Hadley and Harland of Wilcox. Additional guests in the afternoon were Misses Thelma Brogan and Gladys Mendenhall of Wilcoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Gooden Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Gooden entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday in honor of Mrs. Mary Swain of Carthage, Ill., who is visiting relatives in Maryville. Covers were laid for: Mrs. Mary Swain, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Seafers, Mrs. Minnie McCurry, Mrs. Etta Lewis of Wyoming, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson Craven, Mrs. Anna Stauble, Miss Marie Livasy, Forrest Gooden and the host and hostess.

For Rev. J. E. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Duncan entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday at their home northwest of Maryville, in honor of Rev. J. E. Davis of Kansas City, who was a former pastor of the Wilcox Christian church. Additional guests were: Grandma Kinsley, Ad Kinsley, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Kinsley and family, Mrs. Al Taylor and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Duncan and daughter, Lucile, and Miss Jennie Duncan.

Edwards Have Dinner.

Mr and Mrs. P. L. Edwards were host and hostess at a dinner given yesterday at the Edwards home. Mrs. Frank Ulmer was assistant hostess. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Glover and five children and Miss Jennie Alexander of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. John Ulmer, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Seals and four children, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ulmer, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clark and three children, Misses Goldie and Martha Majers, Miss Sarah Majers, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Majers, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ulmer and four children, Forrest, Leota and Pauline Edwards.

For Kansas City Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ulmer entertained with a supper Saturday night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Glover and children and Miss Jennie Alexander of Kansas City, who motored to Maryville Friday night. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Glover and children, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Edwards and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ulmer and children, Mr. and Mrs. James Seals and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Majers and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ulmer, Misses Martha, Sarah and Golda Majers, Miss Alexander and the host and hostess.

For Miss Porter.

Miss Eleanor Smith will entertain at a dinner party this evening for Miss Alice Porter who leaves this month for Winchester, Ky., her home. A five-course dinner will be served. Covers will be laid for Miss Porter, Mrs Ogilvie Sheldon and small daughter, Ruth, of Wichita, Kan., Miss Berenice Rice, Miss Lucile Airy, Miss Geneva Wilfley, Miss Stella Smith, Mrs. M. J. Estes, Mr. and Mrs. C. Q. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Landon, Fred Lewis Hakel, Marcus Nielsen, Dr E. C. Braniger and the hostess.

Entertained for Kansas Visitor.

Mrs. Walter Runnels entertained in honor of Miss Elmina Myers of Arkansas City, Kans., who is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Leslie Hanna. The afternoon was spent in playing various games. Miss Myers was the champion in the spoon and apple game, having succeeded in picking the apple off the floor, with a teaspoon thirty-five times in two minutes. Miss Blanche Van Buren was voted winner in the blindfolded drawing contest and Miss Leta Gray carried off the honors in the peanut race. After the indoor games refreshments were served, following which everyone joined in playing drop the handkerchief until the time to depart came. The guests present were: Misses Elmina Myers, Lereta Leet, Crystal Copeland, Mina Harvey, Maggie Shannon, Lois Harvey, Ruth Maxin, Laverne Rickard, Wanda Hinton Ethel McClurg, Ruth Hinton, Vivian Boatwright, Blanche Van Buren, Ola Gray, Leta Gray, Audrey Boatwright, Masters Niles and Marvin Myers and Lauren Runnels, Mrs. Parle Runnels and Mrs. Leslie Hanna.

A Surprise Party.

A very pleasant surprise was given to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McGinness Thursday evening, August 9, when their neighbors gathered at their home with cakes, and freezers of ice cream to spend the evening. The occasion was also in honor of their daughter, Miss Mae McGinness, who has just returned from Sheridan, Wyo., and of Mrs. McGinness' mother, Mrs. Joseph Wilson, also of Sheridan, Wyo., who is visiting at the McGinness home. The evening was spent in visiting and games on the lawn. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cockayne and sons, Theodore and Joseph Vilas, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cockayne, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jenson, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Logan, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McDowell and son, Forrest, Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore and children, Kenneth, Arthur, and Clara Belle, Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Shell and children, Rhea, Milan, and Rebecca, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mitchell and son, Joseph William, Mr. and Mrs. Brice Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Sorenus Jenson, Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Griffey and granddaughter Jessie, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Ashford, Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Bancroft, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Babb; Misses Nellie, Crystal and Pauline Hall Mabel Patterson, Josephine and Violet Jenson, Pearl Booth, Vida Wilson, Alta Doyle, Lois Wiley, Jessamine Williams, Mae Logan, Irene, Leta and Dorothy Babb, Mae, Pearl, Verla and Clara McGinness, Dora Ashford; Messrs. Howard, Robert and Jimmie Patterson, Lester Hall, Cecil Grooms, Lester, Morton and Dale Babb, Luther Jenson, John Wesley Thompson, Vern Mitchell, James Keith, Sam Vulgamott, Walter and Arthur Wilson, Walter Logan, Milton Tillman and Therman Ashford, Rolland, Dale and Jimmie McGinness; Mrs. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. McGinness and little Misses Dorothy and Dora McGinness.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Holt and children, living north of Maryville will leave tomorrow morning in their car for Bristow, Okla., where they will visit Mr Holt's sister, Mrs. May B. Lovett.

CLIMBED STAIRS ON HER HANDS

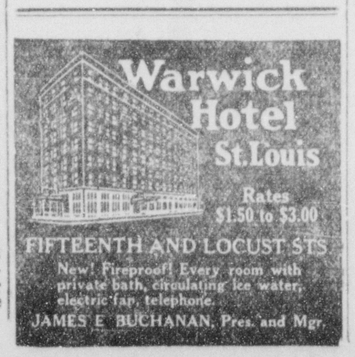
Too Ill to Walk Upright. Operation Advised. Saved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

This woman now raises chickens and does manual labor. Read her story:

Richmond, Ind.—"For two years I was so sick and weak with troubles from my age that when going up stairs I had to go very slowly with my hands on the steps, then sit down at the top to rest. The doctor said he thought I should have an operation, and my friends thought I would not live to move into our new house. My daughter asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as she had taken it with good results. I did so, my weakness disappeared, I gained in strength, moved into our new home, did all kinds of garden work, shoveled dirt, did building and cement work, and raised hundreds of chickens and ducks. I cannot say enough in praise of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and if these facts are useful you may publish them for the benefit of other women."—Mrs. M. O. JOHNSTON, Route D, Box 190, Richmond, Ind.

Man's Foster Mother a Cow

Sedalia, Mo., Aug. 21.—While Missourians have long since recognized their foster mother as being the cow, yet they have not until recently paid the tribute to the dairy cow that this fine animal deserves. The dairy cattle show at the Missouri State Fair, September 22 to 29, will be one of the splendid features of the Mid-West's greatest exposition. The cow is another animal that is doing her BEST, along with the hen, to help cut down the high cost of living and help Uncle Sam win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We are proud of this showing because it is a representation of the very best thought of the world of fashion.

The straight-line effects that you have no doubt been reading about, and which show touches of the military enthusiasm now so evident, are in this showing.

We have selected and collected a real assortment that lives up to our reputation as "The Store of Styles."

The prices, in every instance, afford very remarkable values—values that conditions may make impossible later.

Spend an interesting hour seeing these first authentic models in the most wanted colors and fabrics.

Visit the store often and keep in touch with the new fall creations that are arriving daily in the various departments.

A War Relief Unit.

The women of the First Baptist church are asked to meet at the church at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon for the purpose of organizing a unit for war relief work. A quantity of thoroughly clean, old table linens, towels, counterpanes or soft white rags is needed, and the women are requested to bring some to the meeting.

Gave Skidmore Unit $18.80.

The Union Sunday school meeting at Skidmore Chautauqua Sunday morning voted to give the collection to the Skidmore Surgical Dressings unit for the purchase of material. It amounted to $18.80.

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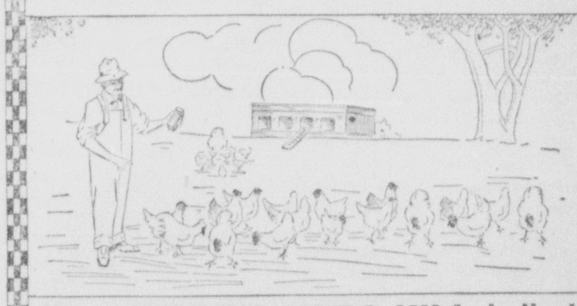

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MISCELLANEOUS

PLUMBING—We make a specialty of installing modern plumbing in old houses and remodeling old plumbing; estimates free. Standard Plumbing Co., Han. 46.

WANTED

NURSE wants work, country preferred. Nellie Waybill, telephone 29-21, Skidmore. 10-13

WANTED — A girl at Maryville Laundry. 10-13

JUNK—I will pay the highest prices for all kinds of junk, also all junk automobiles. Calls promptly attended to. Maryville Iron & Metal Co., Hanamo 116, Farmers 176. 13-22*

WANTED—By couple with infant child, furnished house or housekeeping rooms for the winter. Address Democrat-Forum office with description and price. 10-13*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good as new 2-room house, to be removed from premises. Chas. Hyslop. 24tf

FOR SALE—Sow and eight pigs. 1013 East 5th St., Hanamo 6441. 13tf

FOR SALE—Second hand Ford car. See or call Walter Wray. 13-15

FOR SALE — Royal typewriter, model No. 5, bargain. Inquire R. L. McDougal or phone Hanamo 5297. 11-14*

FOR SALE — Suburban home, 5 rooms and two lots; barn. David Brown, North Saunders. 10-13

FOR SALE—75 feet iron railing and posts and 100 feet stone base for same. 219 West Second St., Han. 729. 10-tf

DIRT for sale. See Dick Strong at Barber shop. 10-13

FOR SALE—Tomatoes for canning, 75c bushel. Call W. Spoor, Hanamo 473. 11-14*

FOR SALE—Car of tankage on the Burlington track. Maryville Feed and Milling Co., 205 West 3rd St. Hanamo 110, Farmers 230. 13-15

FOR SALE—Coal oil stove with cabinet, in perfect condition. Mrs. Johnson, 301 East 3rd. Hanamo 3527. 13-15

FOR SALE—Dining room set, davenport, bed, Princess dresser, library table, carpet sweeper. All first class. Must sell. Call at house from 3 to 5 o'clock each afternoon this week until goods sell. Bert Cooper. 13-15*

HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT — 6 large rooms; empty Sept. 1. Choice building lots for sale. See J. T. Hays, Hanamo 575. 2tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT — The entire house at 612 North Mulberry street, furnished, at $35 per month, without furniture $30 per month, after September 1. See S. H. Kemp. 11-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern home, lady or gentlemen. Inquire of Mrs. Trullinger at Ashford's Millinery store. 13-15

FOR RENT—Furnished room for light housekeeping. 204 South Vine. Farmers phone 174-11. 11-14

FOR RENT—5-room house, lights, water and barn. See Glover & Alexander. 11-14

FOR RENT—8-room house, modern execept water, well and cistern, at 114 South Main. N. F. Hopper, 309 West Second. 11-14*

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Grain Futures.

Kansas City, Aug. 13.—WHEAT — Sept., $2.14.

CORN—Sept., $1.62; Dec., $1.14⅝.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Aug. 13.—CATTLE—Receipts, 18,000; steers, $10.00@$14.00; cows, $6.00@$13.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 7,000; top, $17.35; bulk, $16.50@$17.25.

SHEEP—Receipts, 4,000.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 13.—CATTLE— Receipts, 13,500; market, 10c higher.

HOGS—Receipts, 26,000; market, 10c higher; top, $17.40.

SHEEP—Receipts, 11,000; market, 10c higher.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Aug. 13.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,600; market, 10 to 15c up.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,500; market, 10c to 15c up; top, $17.15.

SHEEP—Receipts, 700.

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce company.

Buttter fat, per lb	38c
Eggs	25
Hens	14
Spring Chickens, per lb	18c
Hides, per lb	16c
Ducks, per lb	10c
Geese, per lb	8c
Old Roosters, per lb	8c

Move to New Residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Gray are moving this week into their new home at the corner of West Second and Frederick streets. The Wilbur Smith residence, which Mr. and Mrs. Gray have been occupying has been leased by Mr. and Mrs. George Palfreyman, who will take possession soon.

WATCH YOUR EYE-SIGHT

EYES EXAMINED FREE

Our expert graduate Optometrist will diagnose your eye troubles and tell you what you need. The service is free at

KUCHS BROTHERS

222 N. Main Street

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

High School Class Had Picnic.

The members of the spring graduating class of 1914 of the Maryville High school held a reunion and picnic yesterday. They went to the Platte river south and west of Ravenwood. The members of the class in attendance were Misses Ora Quinn, Edna Dietz, Frances Hahn, Juno Jones, Anna Marjery Halasey, George M. Crowson, Lee Strickler, Harold Ramsey and Clement Hahn. he visitors present were Mrs. Lee Strickler, Kirker Sawyers and Fred Gray.

A Surprise Party for Noah Sipes.

Noah Sipes who celebrated his 70th birthday anniversary Saturday was surprised by a number of his friends and relatives Saturday evening who gathered at his home to spend the evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reese, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Froman and daughter, Rozella, and son, Forest; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Nicholas, and daughter, Eleanor, and son, Jud; Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Reese, Mrs. Eph Tilton, Mr. and Mrs. H. Edwards, Mr. Sexton, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goforth, Mr. and O. C. Wallace and son, John Curtis, Miss Florence Sage, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Croy, Frank Orcutt, Miss Hallie Culver, C. H. Sipes and daughter, Mabel, Mrs. F. E. Rutheford, of Troy, Kan., and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Sipes.

Celebrates Twenty-Third Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bird of Parnell celebrated their twenty-third wedding anniversary yesterday at their home. A number of their friends, neighbors and relatives brought well filled baskets, and at the noon hour a delightful dinner was served Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Elias Brown and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. Orlie Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom O'Day and family, Mr. and Mrs. James I. Milltr and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Mayfield and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, Mr. and Mrs. John Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Miller, George Lowe, Chester Winemiller, Miss Edna Busby of Maryville and Miss Winemiller of Sheridan.

Miss Bainum Hostess.

Miss Anna Bainum entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last evening at the Hotel Bainum. Her guests were: Miss Louise Marshall, Miss Myers, T. H. McKean and F. Harman of Mound City.

GIRL BREAKS ARM IN ACCIDENT.

Virginia Hughbanks Narrowly Escaped Being Run Over by Car.

Virginia Hughbanks, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hughbanks of Eeast First street, narrowly escaped being run over by a car driven by Albert Kuchs this morning. The little girl was playing in the street and ran out in front of the car but Mr. Kuchs stopped the machine in time to prevent running over her, but the girl was knocked down and sustained a broken arm in the fall. Mr. Kuchs was accompanied by Edward Keck and they were on their way to the camp of the men working on the Barnard electric line.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hoffine of St. Joseph motored to Maryville Saturday evening to spend Sunday with relatives. They were accompanied by Misses Bertha Ritze and Stella Smith, who had been attending a house party given by Misses Mayme and Anna Dooley.

To Hold A Revival.

The First Baptist church decided yesterday to hold their revival meeting commencing about the middle of October and continuing about four weeks. They have not selected the evangelist and singer.

Went to Big Lake.

Harold Ryan, Byron Cistello, B. E. Condon, Aubrey Lyle, Virgil Lyle, Harry Gray, Virgil and Roland Curnutt went to Big Lake yesterday. Ryan, Condon and Borrusch have rented a cottage and remained for a few days at the Lake.

BASKET DINNER WELL ATTENDED

Annual Home Coming of Christian Church of Pickering Held Sunday.

The annual home coming of the Christian church of Pickering was held yesterday and about 400 people were in attendance. A basket dinner was served. The threatening weather kept many from attending the affair. Rev. E. H. Hutchison, pastor of the church preached a home coming sermon. Rev. C. Emerson Miller of Maryville, delivered an address in the afternoon.

Took American Gun Crew.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 13.—Ambassador Sharp at Paris and all American consular officials along the French coast are plainly worried about the situation of the captain and four members of the armed guard of the American steamer, Campania, which was sunk by a German submarine. Rumors that the Campania went down only after a great fight are widely circulated here but the department declined to discuss them Forty-seven survivors reached land in safety.

Farmers Not Satisfied With Price.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 13.—Following announcements by Herbert Hoover, that the food administration board is to take control of the nation's wheat commencing September sixth, farmers' organizations throughout the country got busy today to secure proper representations on price fixing. The big wheat growing districts want practical men named to assist President Garfield of Williams College who has been made chairman of the board. Many farmers are not satisfied with the two dollars minimum price for wheat.

NOTICE.

Have your feet treated. Dr. Tandy is at the Bainum Hotel. Will make residence calls. Phone Hanamo 172. 6tf.

Mrs. Warren Jones and daughter, Mary Elizabeth, went to St. Joseph Saturday evening to spend a few days with Mrs. Jones' sister, Mrs. H. E. Burnam. They will visit in Bethany with Mrs. Jones' cousin, J. C. Wilson, before returning.

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THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable

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FIVE GENERATIONS ATTEND

Family Reunion Held at the Home of Mrs. Mary Harry, at Ravenwood Yesterday.

A family reunion, at which seven families were represented and five generations were present, was held yesterday at the home of Mrs. Mary Harry of Ravenwood.

The five generations were: Grandma Harry, and oldest daughter, Mrs. Willis Campbell of Mountain Grove, Mo., Alpha Campbell, the oldest son of Mrs. Campbell, and his daughter, Mrs. Milo Comer and baby of Ravenwood.

Grandma Harry is 83 years old. She was born in Virginia, where she lived until about one year after she was married to L. Harry. They moved to a farm north of St. Joseph, and lived for one year, and then moved to a farm near Ravenwood, where they lived for a number of years. They have resided in Ravenwood for the last forty-three years.

Mr. Harry died eight years ago, and since that time, Mrs. Harry has lived with two of her daughters, Mrs. I. A. Brooks and Miss Jemima Harry.

Nine children, one son, and eight daughters, were born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry. Only five of the children are living. They are: Mrs. Willis Campbell, Mountain Grove, Mo.; Mrs. I. A. Brooks and Miss Jemima Harry at home; Mrs. J. C. Kessler, Maryville; and Mrs. Maggie Bardwell of Long Beach, Calif. All but Mrs. Bardwell were present at the reunion.

At the noon hour dinner was served to the following: Mrs. Mary Harry, Mrs. Willis Campbell and daughter, Audrey of Mountain Grove, Mo., Mrs. I. A. Brooks, Miss Jemima Harry, Dr. R. R. Dunshee and children, Harry, Mabel and Roy Dunshee of Stanberry, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kessler and children, Ernest, Merl, Opal, Bertha and Grace of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. Alpha Campbell and children, Mr and Mrs. Milo Comer and baby of Ravenwood, and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Watson of Columbia, Mo.

To Training Camp at Ft. Sheridan.

Winford W. Hawkins of Lawrence, Kan., son of Prof. C. A. Hawkins of this city, and Forrest W. Hanna of K. C., son of O. C. Hanna of this city, are among the men chosen for students in second officers training camp at Ft. Sheridan, Ill. L. A. Myers of this city, a salesman for the Morrell Packing company, has also been accepted.

Parnell Picnic This Week.

The Parnell picnic will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday this week. Among the speakers are Charles F. McCaffrey of Maryville and Prof. Guy Curry. Among the attractions will be the Leonard Players, who will furnish free attractions besides having their tent show and a band, Thomas' big swing and the Rosendale band.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Garrett and children, Arthur and Gertrude, left Saturday in their car for a several weeks' visit in Ottumwa and Eldon, Ia.

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Have you a building job on your hands?

Now that prices are high it is more than ever important that you give careful consideration to the roof you are going to put on. You can save real money and get a better roof by using

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Thru quality and sheer merit as a roofing material CERTAIN-TEED is now being used as the preferable type of roofing for sky-scrapers, factories, hotels, stores, warehouses, garages, farm buildings etc., where durability is necessary.

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On Motor Trip To Illinois.

Prof. and Mrs. P. O. Landon and Kurt and Truman Landon will leave in the morning in their car for a visit at Jerseyville, Ill., with Mr. Landon's mother, Mrs. Mary Landon, and at Carlinville, with Mrs. Landon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hoblit.

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Not long ago the manager of the most remarkable "Country Store" in America was asked what he did to produce such a remarkable business, because this store which does a business of $400,000 a year is located in a town of just 1,015 people. His answer was:

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This ought to be a decisive argument for the small town merchant who cannot see the power of advertising. The man who wants to see his business grow and prosper has proof a plenty of what it takes. You had better begin to advertise at once. Everyday of waiting is a day wasted.

RACING STILL GREAT SPORT

Sedalia, Mo., Sept. 4.—Racing may have been the ancient sport of kings and if all reports are true it was but with the decline of kings, they being a sort of drag on the open market these days, one need not think that their ancient sport has gone glimmering along with the crowns that have been knocked off their heads. One will only have to secure a seat in the grandstand at the Missouri State Fair, September 22 to 29, to learn that racing is as popular at the Missouri State Fair as it ever was and that the people like it yet, and it is now the sport of the democracy. The State Fair race track is the finest in the West. The automobile races are run on the same track that is used for the race horse speed events

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